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SUSPICION REMOVED

EDEN VISIT TO MOSCOW BIG SUCCESS

MISGIVINGS ARE LESSENED

CO-OPERATION ASSURED

Moscow, Yesterday. Mr. Anthony Eden, the Lord Privy Seal, is observing the Soviet rest-day along with many Government officials. He is having no official conversations, though presumably continuing informal chats with M. Litvinoff at the latter's country home.

It is already apparent that the visit has achieved a considerable measure of success. Those Russians who have made contact with Mr. Eden are delighted with his frank, informal manner and his visit has removed many clouds of suspicion.

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Enthusiastic Pro-British Demonstration

Moscow, Earlier.

There was an enthusiastic pro-British demonstration given by 2,000 spectators at the gala performance of Tchaikovsky's "Swan Lake" ballet at the theatre last night when Mr. Anthony Eden, the Lord Privy Seal, and party appeared in the Imperial box.

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Guest Of Litvinoff At Country Home

London, Yesterday.

Mr. Anthony Eden, the Lord Privy Seal, accompanied by the British Ambassador, Lord Chilcott, had further conversations yesterday morning in Moscow with M. Litvinoff, Commissar for Foreign Affairs, and in the afternoon visited M. Stalin in the Kremlin.

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BELGIUM FORCED OFF GOLD STANDARD

DEVALUATION OF FRANC APPROVED

SPECIAL POWERS GRANTED TO NEW GOVERNMENT

Brussels, Yesterday. The Finance Committee of the Chamber yesterday approved, by 16 votes to 8, with one abstention, a bill embodying the Government's monetary decisions.

M. van Zeeland's Government had its first success in the Chamber last night when the provisional credits were voted by 135 to 11.

A LATER MESSAGE FROM BRUSSELS STATES THAT THE CHAMBER, BY 107 VOTES TO 53, AFTER AN ALL-NIGHT SITTING APPROVED THE SUSPENSION OF THE GOLD STANDARD AND THE DEVALUATION OF THE FRANC. IT ALSO GRANTED THE GOVERNMENT SPECIAL POWERS FOR ONE YEAR.

Twelve members abstained from voting and half the Catholics and half the Liberals voted against the Government.

EXHIBITION OF MODERN CHINESE ART

Paintings On View In London Gallery

HIGH PRAISE FROM CRITIC OF "THE TIMES"

London, Yesterday.

The exhibition of modern Chinese paintings at the New Burlington Galleries gave more than a hint that the spirit which still informs the world's most ancient civilisation has now fallen into confusion, declares "The Times" in a leading article, so that a clear glimpse of that civilisation may perhaps serve as a reminder that on the solution of the problems of China depend not only trade, customs, revenues, concessions and investments, but in face of a civilisation which must be understood before it can be saved, the efforts of the West to help China will not succeed unless they are actuated by a knowledge not only of the wealth but of the culture of China.

Li was captured by the troops of the First Kwangtung Army and was sentenced to death, following a brief court martial at Taya. Four other Communist chiefs were executed together with Li. All of them were educated in Soviet Russia. Li was outstanding among the group and could speak fluent French and German having been partly educated in those two countries.

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Eight Training Schools To Be Established

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CHEAPER BUS FARES

The China Motor Bus Company announces that, as from to-morrow, second-class fares on the island will be introduced on Routes 1 and 5, while extensions of Routes 1, 2, 3, 4 and 7 will be made.

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MR. ARIYOSHI DESIRES TO GIVE WAY TO YOUTH

Tokyo, Yesterday. — The Nichi Nichi Shimbun states that Mr. Ariyoshi, Japanese Minister to China, has informally requested permission to retire shortly to make way for a younger man.—Reuter.



James J. Walker, who won international fame while Mayor of New York, photographed with his wife, the former Betty Compton, in London, where he told the court he is without means. A New York hotel had sued for a bill of the first Mrs. Walker. The dapper ex-mayor stated his actress wife is paying the expenses of their European stay.

CAMBRIDGE CREW TRIAL

SMUGGLED MARKS

MONKS AND NUNS INVOLVED

BERLIN ARRESTS

Berlin, Yesterday. A number of Catholic priests, monks and nuns have been arrested on suspicion of violating the currency regulations.

An official announcement says that investigation shows that at least 2,500,000 marks have been illegally smuggled out of Germany.

—Reuter.

GOVERNMENT LOAN BONDS

Bank Of China Takes \$15,000 More

SHAREHOLDERS AGREE

Shanghai, Yesterday. The Bank of China shareholders, at a meeting this afternoon, decided to accept the additional Government share of the currency loan bonds amounting to \$15,000,000, bringing the total Government shares in the bank up to \$20,000,000, which is equal to its commercial shares.

Accordingly, the bank's constitution has been revised to accommodate an increase from 15 to 21 in its directors, among whom are nine Government appointees, including Mr. T. V. Soong, while the supervisors have been increased from five to seven, among whom are three Government appointees. —Reuter.

SLOWER TIME RECORDED THAN THAT OF OXFORD

But Conditions Far From Perfect

DARK BLUES' GREAT CHANCE

London, Yesterday.

The Cambridge University boat-race crew had a full course trial to-day from Mortlake to Putney, covering the distance in 20 minutes 12 seconds, which was 41 seconds slower than the Oxford crew's effort yesterday.

Little importance, however, is attached to the comparative times in view of the great difference in the conditions, which were almost perfect for the Oxford trial, but which to-day were rough and windy.—Reuter.

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The Cambridge crew is:—A. D. Kingsford (Upplington and Pembroke) (bow) (12 3), 2. J. H. C. Powell (Eton and Third Trinity) (12 7), 3. D. G. Kinsford (Uppingham and Pembroke) (12 11), 4. M. P. Lonnor (Westminster and Third Trinity) (12 0), 5. J. H. T. Wilson (Shrewsbury and Pembroke) (12 10), 6. W. G. R. M. Laurie (Monkton Combe and Selwyn) (13 10), 7. T. R. M. Bristow (Dulwich and Pembroke) (11 12), E. A. Stagley (St. Paul's and Jesus) (stroke) (11 10), J. N. Duckworth (Lincoln and Jesus) (cox) (8 7).

2 THUNDERSTORMS

Heavy Rain Falls During Night

Hong Kong, which is not often troubled with thunderstorms, had a short, sharp visitation last night, half a dozen brilliant flashes of lightning, some of which were observed to strike the Peak, occurring about 9.40, accompanied with loud crashes of thunder. Heavy rain fell for about 10 minutes.

Thereafter the weather cleared, but at 1.30 this morning another storm passed over the island, bringing more rain with it.

—Reuter.

WEATHER FORECAST

A strong anticyclone covers central China, and is extending eastward. A trough of relatively low pressure extends from Indo-China to Luzon. The local forecast for to-day, as issued by the Royal Observatory last night, was east winds, fresh to moderate; overcast, drizzle or light rain.

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23 ALLEGED INVOLVED

ASSASSINATION OF EXECUTIVES AND TERRORISM

DAIREN AGOG WITH EXCITEMENT

CONSPIRATORS WAIT ON JUNKS

POLICE ON ALERT

Dairen, Yesterday.

Dairen is agog with excitement at the alleged discovery of a plot by 23 Korean malcontents to assassinate the Emperor Kang Teh and prominent Manchukuo and Japanese civil and military officials and to perpetrate nation-wide acts of destruction.

The conspirators are stated to be waiting aboard junks in the hope of entering the three eastern provinces undetected at various points.

All police stations have been instructed to keep a close watch. — Reuter.

Manchukuo was one year old on March 1 and Emperor Kang Teh, the former Henry Pu Yi, was feted throughout Manchuria in official observances on that occasion.

Emperor Kang Teh is expected to leave Changchun for Japan on Tuesday, and is expected to remain in Japan for 18 days.

He will start his journey to Japan from the South Manchuria Railway station in Hsinking, and will be accompanied by officials of the government, officials of the Imperial Household and retainers, totalling nearly 150.

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FLOWER SALE FOR CHARITY

\$2,500 Collected In Yesterday's Drive

SOCIETY FOR PROTECTION OF CHILDREN

Yesterday's street sale of flowers, in aid of the funds of the Hong Kong Society for the Protection of Children resulted in \$2,500 being raised.

The collection was organised by the Women's Auxiliary of the Society for the Protection of Children, the officers of which are: President, Lady Southorn; O.B.E.; Chairman, Mrs. N. L. Smith; Hon. Secretary, Mrs. A. Hicks; Hon. Treasurer, Mrs. H. H. H. and Mrs. Y. K. Chow. In addition to the ladies in charge of districts and the helpers, valuable assistance was rendered by Mrs. R. M. Henderson.

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DUKE OF GLOUCESTER IS THIRTY-FIVE TO-DAY

H.R.H. The Duke of Gloucester, Prince Henry William, third son of Their Majesties King George and Queen Mary, is 35 years of age to-day.

FRENCHAMS IN BEST OF HEALTH

Leaving Hanchung For Sian Next Week

Nanking, Yesterday.

Despite hardships endured during their seven weeks' captivity in the hands of the Communists, Mr. and Mrs. Frencham, of the China Inland Mission, are in the best of health and are leaving Hanchung for Sian early next week, according to a message received from Sian.

After the capture of Ningkiang the couple were taken to Likinchu, in Szechuan, where they were received. — Reuter.

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LONDON SILVER MARKET

PRICES ADVANCE

London, Last Night.

London Silver prices to-day were up 3% on Spot and 9/16 on forward as follows:

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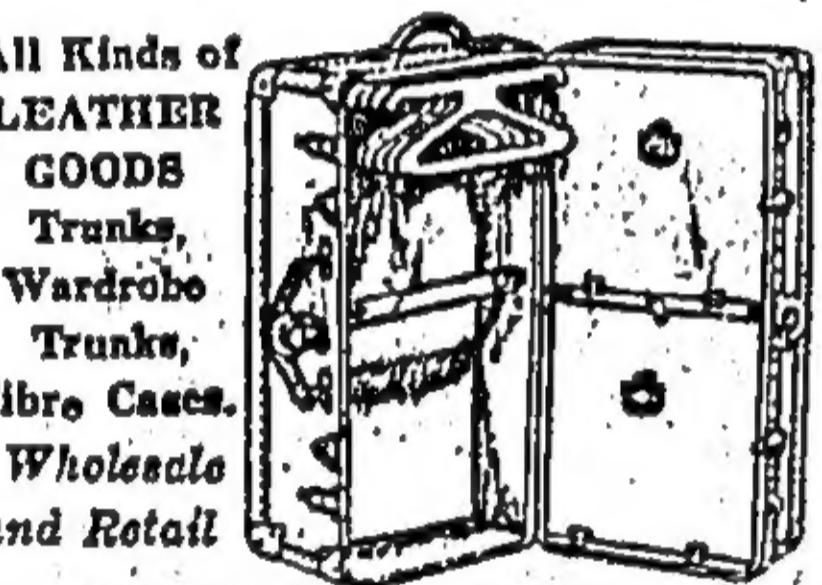
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By JOSEPH H. COLE

I JOINED the waiting line at its tail. There were at least six people in front of me. They were all rather smartly dressed, and a little aloof. In this marble theatre lobby on this rich red rug I was glad the weather called for rubbers, for they covered my shabby shoes and were new. My wife and I hadn't been to the theatre (baring a few movies) for a long time. This was going to be my Christmas present to us. The critics had more or less chosen it to be the finest production of the season; the "Times" devoted a full page to it in their Sunday supplement.

Christmas Eve fell on a Sunday, and so the tickets would have to be for Saturday; I looked at the scale of prices. In the evening, the mezzanine would cost two and a half dollars. We prefer the mezzanine because it offers a fine perspective of the stage and yet is within audibility, and we do not care for matinees as they are usually attended by women's clubs.

What I wanted was two in the mezzanine for the evening of the twenty-third.

Then the question of money came up. Five dollars was quite a lot to be spent on just a show. Of course it was Christmas and we were young and we did have a right to some pleasure—yet five dollars was almost a week's rent. There were cheaper seats, of course, but when I see a show I like to see and hear it, not stretch to see it not strain to hear it. And so, with a sinking midriff feeling of desperation, I stuck to parting with the twenty-third.

By this time the line had been greatly reduced and I was within pecking distance of the girl in the box-office. She was quietly pretty, in a blonde, Junior League fashion. She seemed to be losing patience. The old fellow in front of her couldn't make up his mind whether he ought to take one in the eighteenth on the side for that night or one in the centre balcony for the following afternoon.

I smiled in sympathy with her and made sure that I knew what I wanted. Two in the mezzanine for the night of the twenty-third. Right! I took out the five that represented our last month's savings and which should have gone into the bank. Then I gazed at the girl in calmer confidence; I was next.

The blonde head turned its blue eyes upon me inquisitively. I was nervous; I didn't want to stammer or take up too much time.

But I managed to say my little speech quite clearly, if none too steadily.

"It's a relief," she said, "to find somebody who knows what he wants." And she smiled upon me. I gave her my five dollars and took the tickets which she had placed in a small envelope.

"Thank you," I murmured, and left the theatre.

It was well that the girl had smiled and spoken to me so prettily, for it spared me a lot of uneasiness I might otherwise have felt. Normally, while waiting for our date to approach, I would start to regret spending so much money on a mere two hours of mummery. But this was not the case now. Whenever my mind turned to the play, it plumed itself upon the fact that the pretty blonde girl had smiled upon me. It may sound foolish, but that cashier's smile brightened four weeks of my life.

My wife laughs at me for worrying so much; she is so practical that she has eliminated thinking about things—she just goes ahead and does them. When I told her I had bought the tickets, she felt I had been extravagant, however, the money was spent and she allowed no regrets to spoil her pleasure. Grace loves the theatre even more than I; she is too practical not to get her money's worth.

We both wanted this to be the happiest Christmas of our lives, for it would be the first we would spend together—we had been married less than a year. Avidly, we read every review of the play we could lay our hands upon. When a magazine damned it with faint praise, I felt rather weak and tried to dismiss the haunting paragraphs from mind. Not even the memory of my smiling blonde could make me cheerful. But when we read that the work was a triumph and that it would probably go down to posterity as one of the finest American plays, then we smiled at each other in silent pleasure.

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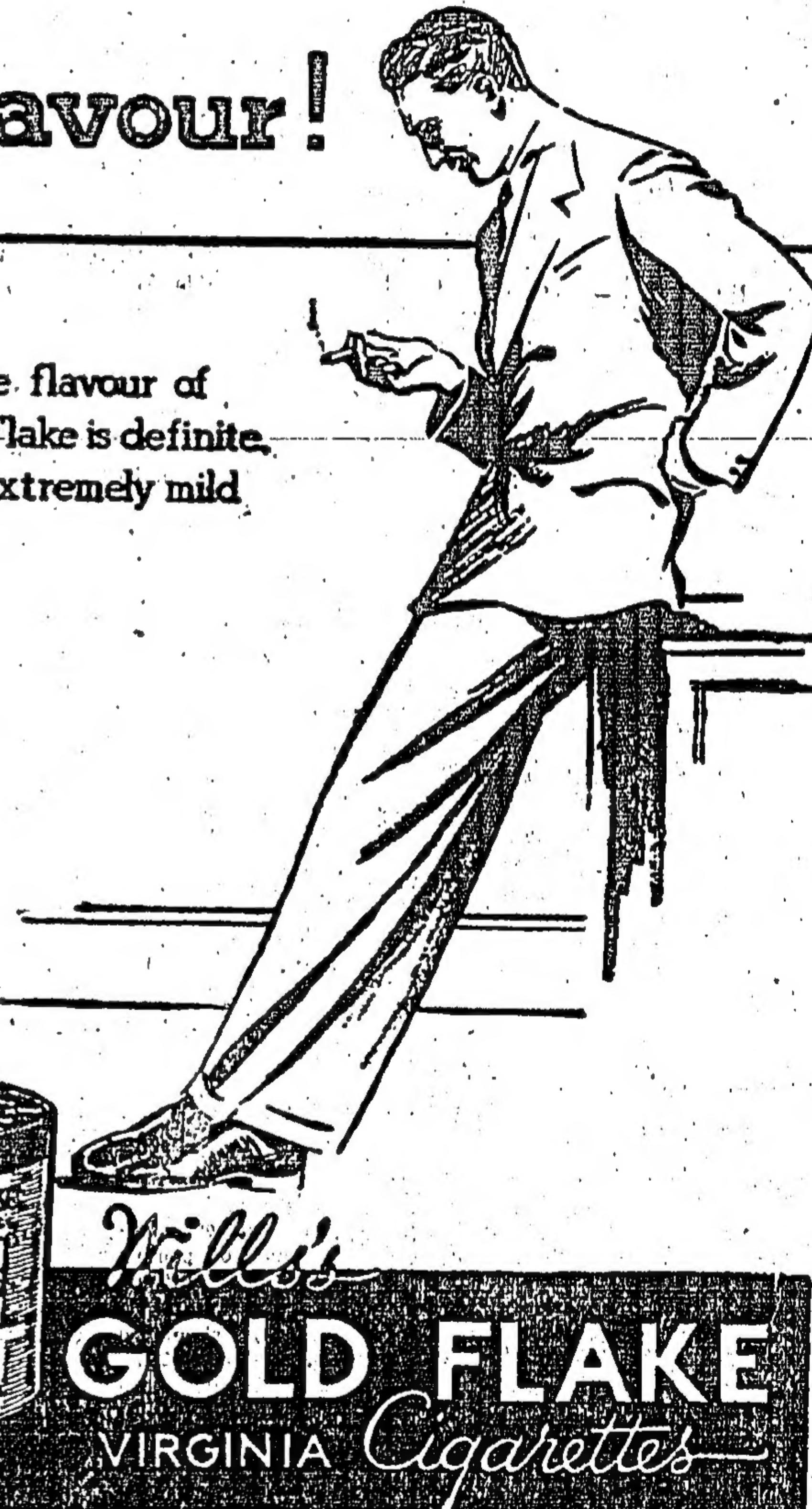
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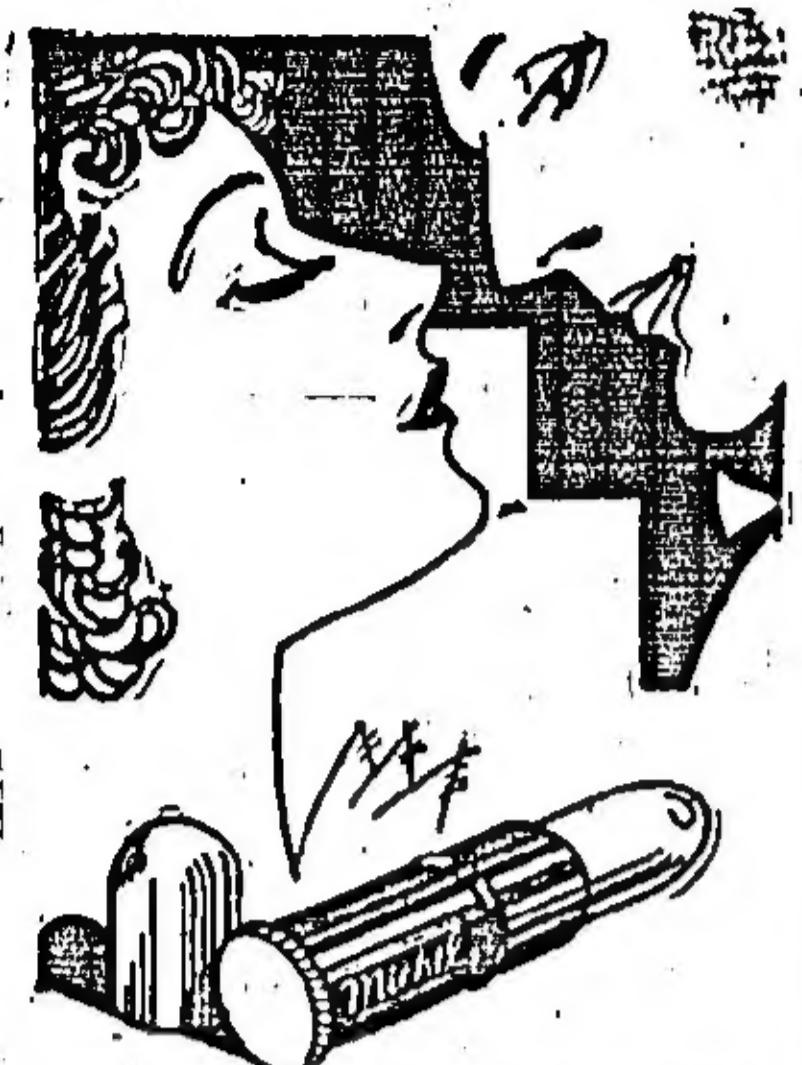
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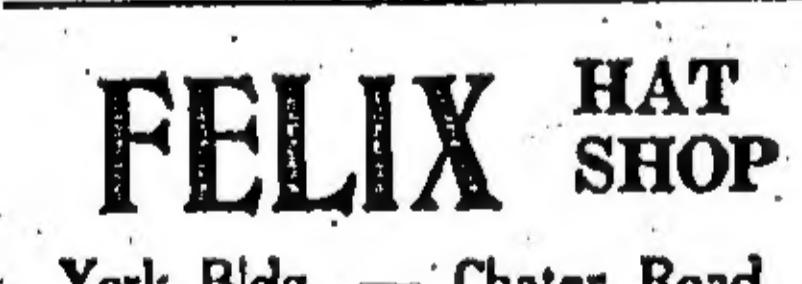


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LACE-MAKING REVIVAL

London. THE tide of fashion in handwork among the hostesses of Mayfair and of the larger country houses is setting again towards lace-making.

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It is much used for men's signet rings.

In one reference book it is stated that there are numerous kinds of agate—cornelian, amethyst, quartz, jasper and even the opal are classified in this section.

There are star agates, moss agates and clouded agates.

The milky white agates are often artificially stained—an art of ancient origin. In a brilliant green they are most saleable.

Some of the finest agates come from Ontario, Canada.

Others are found in Scotland and the shops in the Highlands they are tremendously sold as souvenirs to tourists to take back to their friends.



DRAWER-POLISH

DRAWERS that do not run easily

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If dampness is suspected the drawers should be lifted out and slowly but thoroughly dried in a warm room. If any rough places are to be found on their edges they should be rubbed down with fine sandpaper until perfectly smooth.

All dust should then be carefully wiped off and the edges and sides of the drawers well rubbed with beeswax or with a good floor-polish.

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THE MONOPOLY OF EXTREME YOUTH

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REST BEAT CHAMPION CAER CLARK CUP XI MISS BROWN GIVES FINE FAREWELL DISPLAY

ONE of the best hockey games of this season was seen on the Y.M.C.A. ground yesterday when the Rest beat the Hong Kong Ladies, champions of the Caer Clark Cup tournament, by 3 goals to 1 in an encounter featured by brilliant passing under the worst possible conditions.

One of the features of the game was the work of the wingers, particularly Miss O. Brown, the Rest's left-winger, who flashed across countless first-class centres and who scored the best goal of the match with a first-time effort. Miss Marsh, the champions' right-winger, was also very much in the limelight with some extraordinarily good work.

Miss J. Wong, the Rest pivot, and Miss McKenna, of the champions, gave their best displays to date in their respective pivot position.

COMMODORE ELLIOTT WINS EXCITING RACE

Gull Crosses Line First But Disqualified

THRILLING YACHTING IN BREEZY WEATHER

The sailing match arranged for yesterday afternoon between Members and the United Services in "A" class boats was cancelled owing to the Members' team not being complete. Therefore an ordinary "A" class race was held instead.

All the boat started in a fine breeze well roared. A3, A12, and A5 had a small lead over the other boats round the first mark (Quarry Bay). Those boats who shook out their reefs in the run down to Rumsey shoal mark scored an advantage, and all the 12 boats rounded Rumsey shoal mark very close together.

The boats became separated on the beat up to Kowloon Rocks, where A12 led, followed by A3 and A5, but the positions again changed on rounding the Quarry Bay mark, then being A5, A9, and A12.

A9 crossed the line first, but was disqualified for touching a mark. A5 dropped to fourth place, her bays having carried away, giving the victory to A12 after a fine race over 9.4 miles.

Detailed results were:

Carpenter A1	16.50.35	8
Osta A2	16.40.06	6
(Lt. Donaldson R.N.)		
Wasp II A3	16.30.37	2
(Major Griffin)		
Artemon A4	D.N.F.	
(Comdr. Cowland)		
Jan A6	16.47.31	7
(Mr. E. Cock)		
Gobol A7	16.41.45	4
(Doctor L. J. Davis)		
Joss A8	16.43.47	5
(Mr. R. B. Williams)		
Gull A9	D.N.F.	
Cicada A 10	D.N.F.	
Pat A12	16.39.03	1
(Commodore E. Elliott R.N.)		
Painted Lady A14	D.N.F.	

The result of the 2nd Ladies' extra series for "H", "I", "Y" and "G" classes will take place next Wednesday.

The race tomorrow will take place according to the programme.

The following yachts started on a 84-mile race:—Hong Kong Is P., Rocky Island P., Hong Kong Is P., Club Liner Azuma (1), U and I (8), Tern (13), Monsoon (18), Penguin (24) and Marie (20).

RAIN SPOILS SPORT

Rowing Regatta To Be Held Next Saturday

The incessant rain yesterday caused many sporting activities to be postponed.

The Rowing Regatta, in which the Yacht Club and the V. R. C. were to have competed, was postponed until next Saturday afternoon, while the Queen's College annual athletic meeting, which was to have been held at Causeway Bay, and all cricket matches were cancelled.

CLOSING DATE FOR K.C.C. TENNIS ENTRIES EXTENDED

Although the entries for the Kowloon Cricket Club's Lawn Tennis Tournament should have closed last night, the Committee have soon fit to extend the closing date until next Wednesday.

ALBERT HEDGES' NEW GOLF APPOINTMENT

Albert Hedges, who for 14 years was professional to the North Surrey Golf Club, Norbury, has been appointed professional to the Colindon Court Club, where he succeeds Leslie Cotton.



The local Ireland International hockey team which was overwhelmed by India by 9 goals to 1 on the Marina ground last Thursday. Lt. Currie, the Irish leader, is seen on the extreme right of the group, while Lt. Ravenhill, the skipper, is in the centre of the back-row.—(King's Studio).

DEUTSCHER KLUB BEAT RESOLUTE'S FOOTBALL TEAM

Keen Game Seen At Kowloon

LUEHRING AND SOLTAU SHINE IN LOCAL DEFENCE

Conditions were far from ideal, and, although a steady drizzle persisted for most of the morning and right through the afternoon, the players insisted that the match be played, and, surprisingly, there was a fair number of spectators.

One of the many outstanding features of the game was the manner in which the players kept their feet, and there being at the most only five tumbles during the whole game.

Mrs. Harrop Shines

Mrs. Harrop, who had displayed disappointing form throughout the season, played one of the best games of any of the Hong Kong Ladies' forwards this season, and, together with Mrs. Moutrie, was always prominent in the most dangerous

areas.

The intermediate lines on both sides played well and consequently the game was fairly even.

Individually, Miss George did not have as much to do as Miss Harrop, the champions' goalkeeper, but she made one excellent point blank save from Mrs. Moutrie.

A Fatal Error

Miss Gunnard and Miss Fowler, the two Rest backs, were very good and let very little pass them; the former, however, made one bad mistake in the first half when she failed to cover her colleague and let Mrs. Moutrie through to open the scoring.

Mrs. Ingram, President of the Ladies' section of the "Y," made a short speech wishing the three ladies bon voyage, to which they made suitable replies.

Among those present were Mrs. Ingram and Miss R. Ingram, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Palmer, Mr. E. F. Selk, Miss A. Fowler, Mrs. Burke, Miss S. Dalziel, Miss P. McCaw, Miss M. Gardiner, Miss T. Dennis, and the Misses W. and M. George.

"Y" LADIES TO MEET HERMES TEAM

Game Next Thursday

On Thursday next the "Y" Ladies Hockey Club will meet a team from H. M. Aircraft Carrier Hermes at Happy Valley, commencing at 5.10 p.m.

The following is the ladies' team:—W. George; J. Wilson and Mrs. Burke; L. Hickox, E. Thomson and R. Ingram; T. Dennis, S. Dalziel, P. McCaw, A. Fowler and O. Brown.

INTERNATIONAL CRICKET

Portugal To Meet India To-day

The first international cricket match to be staged in the Colony will be played on the Club do Recreio ground to-day, weather permitting, commencing at 1 p.m., between teams representing Portugal and India.

India will be without the services of U. M. Omar, of the Craftsgowar Cricket Club, who is unfortunately unable to play.

India will be represented by F. D. Pereira (Capt.), A. R. Minu, A. H. Rumjahn, A. H. Madar, S. A. Ismail, A. S. Suffad, M. P. Madar, A. R. Abbas, M. el Arculli, Y. el Arculli and A. M. Rumjahn. Reserve—A. R. Kitchell.

Portugal will be represented by A. M. Rodrigues (Capt.), E. L. Gosano, H. A. Alves, A. P. Pereira, A. P. Gutierrez, G. A. Gutierrez, L. J. Gutierrez, P. M. N. da Silva, E. M. Soares, F. J. Remedios and A. Prata. Reserve—H. L. Ozorio.

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cleared the Army's lines from several dangerous situations. Their tackling was none too sure, however, and in positioning, they were often caught at fault, but they were real 'stickers' from start to finish in what was a gruelling game for them.

Morton's Mistake

The Army weakness lay in the intermediate line, where lack of experience failed to stop the penetrating thrusts and speed of Howe, who was always the main danger to the Army goal. Morton gave him far too much scope in the first half, leaving him yards unmarked on occasions too numerous to recall, and it was in the first half that Howe was most dangerous. Although finding the heavy pitch difficult to negotiate, Morton otherwise gave a good display, and distributed some useful passes to his forwards, but when, in the second period, he managed to keep Howe more under control, it was too late.

Keneghan and North were two hard-working wing-halves, and though opposing two fast men, managed to hold their own very creditably. Keneghan had a fairly easy passage in the early part of the game, but found the combined efforts of Bickford and A. V. Gosano too much for him later on.

The forwards had much of the ball throughout, and had only themselves to blame for not finding the net more than twice. Hesitation to shoot on a day that was given to first-time shooting on each and every occasion frittered away all the hard work and running about that was done by Higgins and Sandford.

Higgins Dashing Leader

Higgins was a dashing leader, with good ball control, and he received splendid support from Sandford, but all the forwards broke down when they reached the goal area. English and Baldry, the two wingers, were speedy and clever, and sent over some good centres, but Ridley, though opening in brilliant form, faded away and was very subdued in the second half.

Syd Strange won the toss and the Army immediately launched a whirlwind attack which resulted in a goal in the very first minute. Ridley sent Baldry away on the left, and the winger's centre was secured by Higgins, who rounded Boltrao and sent the ball through to Sandford, who beat Rodger with a fast low drive.

After a spell of midfield play, in which the Civilians gradually settled down to the heavy conditions, the equaliser came after a melee in the Army goalmouth. A shot from Howe hit the upright, and, although Rowlands managed to punch clear with a crowd of players in front of him, A. V. Gosano rushed in and netted before the 'keeper' could recover.

Higgins Spoils Good Effort

Play was now fairly even and Rodger was tested with good efforts by Baldry and Sandford. The players found it hard to accustom themselves to the behaviour of the greasy ball, which skidded off the surface of the pitch at a great pace and spoiled many well-meant passes.

Higgins then made a spectacular run-through from the half-way line, beating man after man, only to finish a great movement by shooting direct at Rodger. At the other end, Rowlands effected two brilliant saves at point-blank range from Howe and Ward, but was finally beaten by Howe after 20 minutes, following a clever move between "A. V." and Ward, the inside-right neatly pushing the ball through to Howe, who took it in his stride and easily beat Rowlands.

Three More Goals.

In the next minute, Ward was allowed to send Howe through in exactly the same manner, and again the centre-forward found the net. A few minutes later the Civilians burst through again, Ward sending out to Bertie Gosano, who coolly placed the ball at Howe's feet 15 yards out, and the latter beat Rowlands with a splendid left-foot drive, which curled high into the top corner of the net.

Just before the interval, the Army made a succession of attacks, during one of which Ridley wormed his way through, drawing the defence out of position before parting with the ball to Baldry. The winger sent in low shot across the goal-mouth for Higgins to meet it first-time and place it well out of Rodger's reach.

Tame Second Half

The second-half was very tame, the ground by this time being

SNOOKER LEAGUE RESULTS

Police Hold Premier Positions

BOWLERS SECURES RECORD BREAK OF 23

The Prison Officers' Mess and the Central Police Mess are leading in the Steel, Coulson Snooker League on the result of last Tuesday's play when the former defeated the Dockyard Police by 3 games to 2 and the latter beat St. Patrick's Club by five clear games.

In the other two games the R.E. W.O.'s and Sgts. Mess beat the Catholic Union Club by 3 matches to 2 and the C. and P.O.'s Recreation Club beat the Garrison Sgts. Mess by 3 matches to 2.

Staff Sergeant Bowler of the Garrison Sergeants' Mess team compiled an excellent 23 break which is the highest break in the League to date. The previous highest break was made by Mr. Stafford of the R. N. Dockyard Police.

A very good game was witnessed between Funnell of St. Patrick's Club and Mr. C. Pike of the Central Police Mess, the latter taking the last three colours to win the game by only 2 points:-

Two good games should result from next Tuesday's games when the leaders will meet with stiff opposition from the Chief and Petty Officer's Recreation Club and the Catholic Club.

The following are the results of matches played last Tuesday:-

Catholic Club R.E. W.O.'s & Sgts. Mess.

Porreira 69 Finney 32

Antonio 36 Regan 32

Santos 34 Staples 58

da Luz 32 Chant 44

Cunha 59 Winters 21

Dockyard Police Prison Officers 21

Philpott 33 Shaw 50

Martin 22 Pike 57

Bellamy 23 Grindley 54

Stafford 51 Goddard 28

Fowler 36 Perry 50

Garrison Sgts. C. & P.O.'s Club

Bowler 63 West 30

Smith 37 Whitehead 61

Trin 27 Elsey 57

Ranson 47 Sargent 58

Leach 63 Randall 17

St. Patrick's Central Police

Damerell 45 Goodwin 67

Day 27 Willerton 71

Mortimer 22 Cashman 45

Funnell 42 Pike 46

Jones 10 Minty 73

League Table To Date

P. F. A. Pts.

Prison Officers 4 15 5 15

Central Police 4 15 5 15

Garrison Sgts. 4 14 6 14

R.E. W.O.'s & Sgts. 4 11 9 11

C. & P.O.'s Rec. 4 9 11 9

Dockyard Police 4 7 13 7

Catholic Club 4 6 14 6

St. Patrick's 4 3 17 3

This Week's Games

Fixtures for next Tuesday are as follows; giving the home team first:-

R.E. Sgts. v Dockyard Police

Central Police v C. & P.O.'s Rec.

Garrison Sgts. v St. Patrick's

Prison Warders v Catholic Club

AIRDRIEONIANS WIN OVER HIBERNIAN

London, Yesterday.—In the only Scottish League football match played yesterday, The Airdrieonians beat Hibernian by 7 clear goals to displace Partick in the League table.—Reuter.

MEDICA CLAIMS NEW WORLD SWIMMING RECORD

Cambridge, Mass., Yesterday.—Jack, Medica of America, swam the 1,500 metres free style in 18 minutes, 59-3/10 seconds to establish a new world's record.—Reuter.

veritable quagmire. The players were floundering in the thick mud, and, with a steady rain to increase their troubles, football became an untenable task. The game livened up on a few occasions; once when "A. V." broke through only to have his shot saved by Rowlands at a yard's range, and a little later when first English shot just outside, and then Ridley sent over from a favourable position.

The Cup was presented to S. Strange, captain of the winning side, by Mrs. Mitchell, wife of the Vice-President of the Hong Kong Football Association, after a brief introductory speech by Major C. M. Manneas, Chairman of the Hong Kong Football Association.

Civilians—Rodger, C. Pike, S. Strange, Brooks, Boltrao and Parker; B. Gosano, Ward, Howe, A. V. Gosano and Bickford.

Army—Rowlands, Swain, Steele, Kenoghan, Morton, North; English, Sandford, Higgins, Ridley and Baldry.

LAI WAH CUP

Sunday Herald Sports Diary

TO-DAY

Cricket—Portuguese v. India

(Club do Recreio ground, 1 p.m.)

Football—First Division

Lincolns v. South China "A"

(Sookunpo ground, 4.30 p.m.)

Royal Welch Fusiliers v. Navy

(Causeway Bay, 4.30 p.m.)

Third Division—

Lincolns, v. Royal Welch Fusiliers

(8 p.m.)

East Lancs. v. R.A.O.C.

(8 p.m.)

Police v. Club do Recreio

(3 p.m.)

Royal Engineers v. Royal Air Force

(4.30 p.m.)

Hockey—Mamak Tournament.

Police v. Kowloon Indians'

(Police Training School ground,

4.30 p.m.)

TO-MORROW

Yachting—

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Tennis—

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TUESDAY

Hockey—

Y.M.C.A. v. Fusiliers

(Y.M.C.A. ground, 5.15 p.m.)

Snooker—Steel Coulson League.

Royal Engineers v. Dockyard Police

Central Police v. Chief and Petty Officers

Garrison Sergeants v. St. Patrick's Club

Prison Warders v. Water Police

(7 p.m.)

Tennis—

Open Championship at the H.K.C.C.

WEDNESDAY

Football—First Division

St. Joseph's v. Police

(Kowloon ground, 4.45 p.m.)

Hockey—

H.M.S. Cornwall v. Hong Kong

Hockey Club Senior

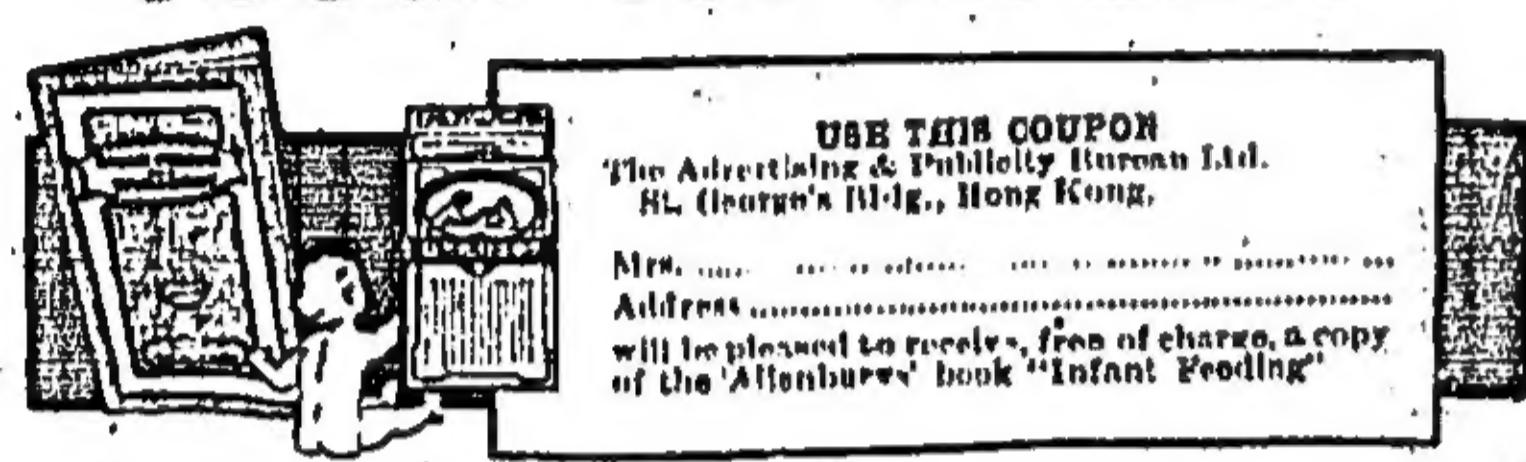
(King's Park, 5 p.m.)



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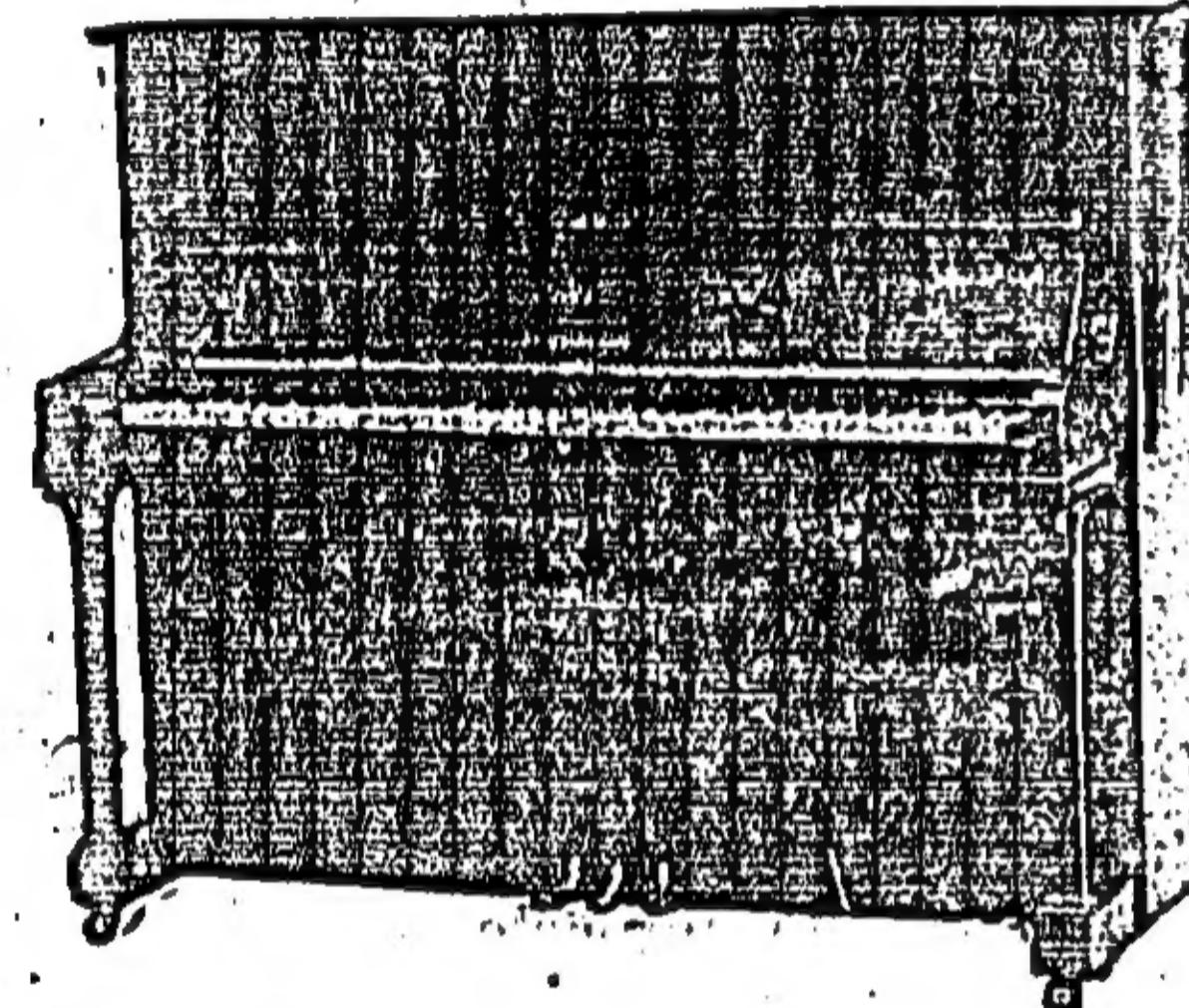


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100 Per Cent Money

When we pierce through the figures we know just how it was Mr. Perry could prosecute his claim. The \$1000 with which he brought his bond years ago were 100 per cent. money. They were equal to approximately 48 ounces of gold. Those with which he was repaid were only 80 per cent. dollars, having been devaluated by Roosevelt, and would buy only 28 4/7th ounces of gold.

Now the famous Gold Clause, which appeared in Mr. Perry's and thousands of other bonds said that the debt would be repayable in gold coin of the standard and fineness which was in use when the bond was issued.

In other words, the clause was a contract that holders of all the bonds in which it appeared would receive interest in, and be repaid with, money having a value in gold equal to the old 100 per cent. dollar.

The Devalued Dollar

When Mr. Roosevelt and Congress put America off the gold standard they took steps which finally made the dollar worth only three-fifths of its old weight in gold. Knowing all about the gold clause, they abrogated it when their currency measures were legislated in 1933.

Mr. Perry and the other plaintiffs claim that this action was unconstitutional—the essence of the big case is this, plain of unconstitutionality. The bond-holders say Congress had no power to impair the facilities to attend the parade.

MILITARY PARADE ON MAY 7

Volunteers Likely To Take Part

It is notified for general information that a parade of the Garrison will be held at Happy Valley from 9.45 to 11 a.m. on May 7, 1935, in connection with the celebration of His Majesty's Silver Jubilee in which it is hoped the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps will take part.

His Excellency the Governor has expressed the hope that all individuals or firms having in their employment members of the Corps, will wherever possible grant them the facilities to attend the parade.

WISE & OTHERWISE

WE SAY IT FIRST
(1) "It's just what I wanted."
(2) "What a lovely present!"
(3) "You shouldn't have bothered."

(4) "How marvellous!"
(5) "Heavens! she doesn't expect me to wear this, does she?"

Lucky

An Italian airman claims to have succeeded in flying at more than 440 miles an hour. What is even more remarkable is that he succeeded in stopping.

EXPLAINED

Hard work, we are reminded, never killed any one. That's just the trouble. I prefer something with the spice of danger in it.

BOTH WAYS

An inquiry into the causes of accidents reveals that many pedestrians are prone to carelessness. Anyway, many of them are prone.

I've Seen 'Em

A novelist says he gets themes for his books by watching cabaret girls. The source of his inspiration.

Just As Well

Practically everything who can read and write, say a critic, has one novel in him. Fortunately most of them keep it there.

I KNOW DOZENS

A woman writer says that a City girl quite often marries her boss. And afterwards a City man often finds out that he's married his.

HINT TO HOUSEWIVES

If, before kneading pastry, you dip your hands in very hot water, you will probably scald your fingers.

SUDDEN STORY

"Was the tram full?" "Rather—even the men had to stand."

which were put forward during the case.

Nor was this all. These figures concern only the principal of the debts.

What of effects on the annual interest payments, the amount the debtors (consisting of the Federal Government, the States, municipalities, railways and companies) must shell out year by year?

Once more the mathematicians answer the question. These would be increased by a trifle of \$2,000,000,000 dollars, or roughly £500,000,000 yearly.

One is too dizzy to continue. It is like looking down the skyscraper from the top—and in a nightmare.

The Other Side.

Now let us notice a very serious matter, part of the tragic-comedy of human affairs, which this case brings to the forefront. In claiming their pound of flesh from the Law, the Gold Clause plaintiffs have been asking for abundant measure, full and running over.

Most of the gold obligations were floated at a time when money would buy fewer units of almost any marketed article than now. In other words, their dollars would very conceivably have brought them less wheat, copper, rubber, cotton when they were 100-cent dollars than would the dollars of 60 cents each with which the Government desired to repay their bonds.

Turn these statements round a little, and we see that enforcement of the gold clause would mean that all debtors would have to give gold-clause bond-holders a greater amount of purchasing power than they obtained when they borrowed the money.

And the same truth would apply to all the annual interest payments. Each would represent a giving away by the debtor of additional purchasing power.

The words "additional purchasing power" have an attractive sound; but it must be remembered that in this case the bondholders would gain at the expense of President Roosevelt's Recovery programme—that is to say, at the expense of the rest of the community.

Chaining Gold

We can rejoice that the gold clause case has been dramatised so effectively by our American kin, who probably have never taken it very seriously, knowing that its effects, in any event, would be neutralised by Mr. Roosevelt and Congress. Its value lies in showing the world that the mastery of gold in currency affairs must be ended.

A good servant gold may be in the future, but, as this case shows, it can never again be taken as a true measure of debts, prices and services unless its value is put in chains.

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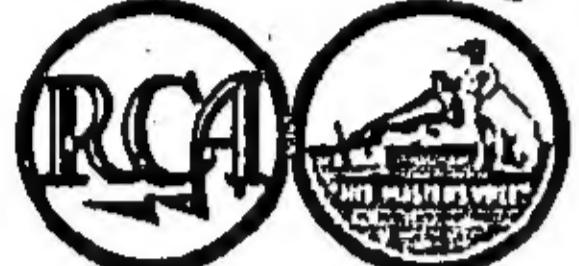
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RELAY OF ORGAN RECITAL FROM ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

Recorded Programme

9.10-10 a.m.—A Relay of the Military Parade Service from St. John's Cathedral.

10 a.m.—Close Down.

11 a.m.-12.15 a.m.—A Relay of the Service from St. John's Cathedral.

12.15-2.30 p.m.—European Recorded Music.

1 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

Carnival Suite, Op. 9 (Schumann) (arr. for Russian Ballet)

London Symphony Orchestra.

A Concert Pianoforte Solo—

Hungarian Rhapsody No. 2 (Liszt)

Ignaz Friedman

Songs—

I Love Thee (Grieg)

Still at the Night (Bohm)

Charles Kullman (Tenor)

Songs—

Twilight (Hamilton)

Still the Nest of Heavenly Blue (Lehar)

Marin Jeritza

Violin Solos—

(a) Minuet; (b) Flight of the Bumble-Bee (Rimsky-Korsakov)

Dance Espagnole ("La Vida Breve") (Kreisler)

Yehudi Menuhin

Cello Solos—

Sarabande (Handel)

Oriental (Cui)

Beatrice Harrison

Songs—

Serenade (Ravel)

Come Back to Sorrento (Curtis)

Charles Kullman (Tenor)

Light Opera and Musical Comedy Selection—

King of Jazz

Vocal Gems—

Sunny Side Up

The Love Parade Selection—

Words and Music Vocal Gems—

Peggy Ann

The Girl Friend Selection—

The Gold Diggers of 1933

A Jazz Piano Recital by Ralo da Costa

1. Four Aces Suite (Billy Mayerl)

(a) Ace of Clubs

(b) Ace of Diamonds

(c) Ace of Hearts

(d) Ace of Spades

2. Victoria and her Huscar—Medley A Recital by Peter Dawson

(Bass-Baritone)

1. Thou'ret Passing Hence (Sullivan)

2. Follow me 'Ome (Ward-Higgs)

3. The Admiral's Broom (Bevan)

4. A Joyful Monk Am I (Andran)

2.30 p.m.—Close Down.

4.7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.

7.10-30 p.m.—European Programme.

7.720 p.m.—Theme and Variations from Suite No. 8 in G (Tchaikovsky).

London Symphony Orchestra

7.20-7.45 p.m.—A Pianoforte Recital by Alfred Cortot.

1. Ballade in F Major—(Chopin)—

2. The Children's Corner Suite (Debussy)

3. Prelude No. 8—La Fille aux cheveux de lin. (Debussy).

Prelude No. 3—Le vent dans la plaine. (Debussy).

7.45-8 p.m.—Octets.

Memories of Tchaikovsky (arr. Scarlatti)

La Clingantine (Gabriel Mario)

Echoes of the Ball (Willoughby)

8 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

8.03-8.45 p.m.—A Relay of the Organ Recital from St. John's Cathedral by Frederick Mason.

Soloist—Mrs. N. Matheson (Contralto) Programme

1. (a) Prélude

2. (b) Allocations

Corelli

2. How lovely are thy dwellings Liddle

3. Spring Song Hollins

4. What though I trace each herb and flower Handel

5. Petite Pastorale Maurice Ravel

6. (a) A Carol of the Nativity Thiman

(b) Brother James' Air arr. Gordon Jacobs

7. (a) The Question Wolstenholme

(b) The Answer

8. Father in Heaven Wolstenholme

9. (a) Vivace Handel

(b) Delicate, ma con brio "Water Music" Suite" Handel

8.45-9 p.m.—Concert Waltzes Tales from the Vienna Woods (J. Strauss)

Immer oder Nimmer (Waldeutel)

9.9-13 p.m.—A Cello Recital by Pablo Casals

1. Moment Musical (Schubert)

2. Le Cygne (The Swan)

(Saint-Saëns)

3. Chanson Villageoise (Poper)

4. Apres un Reve (Faure)

9.15-10 p.m.—Military Band Music with Richard Crook (Tenor)

Blonzi—Overture (Wagner)

Songs—

The Star of Bethlehem

The Holy City Richard Crook

Ruy Blas Overture (Mendelssohn)

Tancred Overture (Rossini)

The Mill on the Rock—Overture (Röslauer, arr. Winterbottom)

Songs—

Only my Song (Lehar)

Tell me tonight Richard Crook

Entry of the Gladiators—March (Puccini)

Sons of the Brave—March (Hildegard)

10.10-30 p.m.—Dance Music.

10.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins.

10.35 p.m.—Close Down.



MADAME MASSON

BRILLIANT PIANIST VISITS COLONY

Madame M. Masson To Give Recital

MUSICIAN OF WORLD-WIDE REPUTATION

A Hong Kong is Madame Madalath Masson, a pianist of world-wide reputation. Her visit is purely one of pleasure, but she has been persuaded to give one or two recitals during her stay, the first of these being arranged to take place at the Helena May Institute on April 11.

Madame Masson, who comes of Scotch-English stock (with a dash of Irish and French, she says), was born in Melbourne, Australia, but educated abroad. She studied music in Berlin under Kwast and in Munich under Edward Schäffer. She has given recitals in London, Paris, New York, Berlin, Vienna—in fact in most of the chief cities of the world.

A Terrible Accident

Some three years ago Madame Masson started out from New York on a professional world-tour, which was cut short by a terrible accident which occurred to her in Tokyo, where she narrowly escaped being burnt to death. One arm was so badly injured that it was thought she would never be able to play again; but the Japanese doctors, by a miracle of surgery, succeeded in completely restoring its use, and Madame Masson is now fulfilling the tour contract interrupted by her accident.

She has just come from Tokyo, where she played Saint-Saëns' G minor concerto with the Tokyo New Symphony Orchestra. This orchestra is unique in being the only all-Japanese orchestra playing Western music under a Japanese conductor.

Australia's Invitation
After leaving the hospital in Japan Madame Masson returned to New York, where she received a cable from the Australian Government inviting her to broadcast a series of first-class programmes to the music-loving people of Australia. In response to this invitation she gave a series of 80 concerts all over the Commonwealth.

Madame Masson is now on her way back to America to fulfil some of the engagements of her originally-planned tour. From Hong Kong she will return to Tokyo, where she is under contract to take part in two further concerts in May before sailing for San Francisco.

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IN RADIO RECEIVERS!**MR. STRACHEY TO LEAVE AMERICA****Deportation Proceedings Dropped**

Washington, Yesterday.

The deportation proceedings against Mr. J. St. I. Strachey, the well-known London journalist and novelist, who was arrested while on a lecture tour of the United States on a charge of disseminating subversive propaganda, have been dropped, as Mr. Strachey has decided to leave the country voluntarily. — Reuter.

Good Press Day Celebrations**Highly Successful Play At Club de Recreio****REV. FR. RYAN'S LECTURE**

An entertaining evening was held at the Club do Recreio last night when a three act comedy, entitled "Dearies," was excellently presented by nine young amateurs, in celebration of Good Press Day.

The cast comprised Deborah Main (Jennette Marr), Barbara (Lucy Jorge), Kate (Bella Marr), Lena (Ruby Moy), Mrs. Langthorne (Elizabeth Wong), Sylvie (Marie Albers), Mrs. Chase (Katherine Marr), Mammy (Olive Lee) and Miss Ada Armitage (Julia Matheson), and all are to be congratulated on their exceptionally good display. Musical items were arranged by the Troubadours Jazz Band.

Among those present were: His Excellency H. Valtorta, Vicar Apostolic of Hong Kong; Dr. B. Basto, President of the Catholic Truth Society, the Rev. Father Gallagher S.J., Principal of the Wah Yan College, Chev. J. M. Alves, Dr. Bernardo da Souza, Mr. L. A. Barton, Robert Chon, President of the Chinese Catholic Young Men's Society, and Mr. J. E. Lau, vice-President of the St. Teresa's Chinese Young Men's Society.

During the course of the evening the Rev. Father T. F. Ryan S.J., M.A., gave the following lecture on the Catholic Press:

"It is a consoling thing for those who have at heart the progress of the Good Press movement to find so many here-to-night ready to give it support. I know that support of the movement has not been the sole cause of your coming, for the name of the brilliant players who have within the last few months added so notably to their previous laurels is enough to draw many out of their homes on an unpleasant evening, yet I know that it was the thought of supporting the Good Press that drew most of you here. You have shown your support of it by coming, and the thought of the excellent performance that you would witness was just the reward that you felt you had a right to expect for doing such a good act.

"Now that you are here I want to say something to you about the Good Press. I want you to understand the importance of it, so that you will become not merely supporters of it, but active workers for the spreading of it. I know that you already appreciate the value of good reading—whether of books, pamphlets or periodicals—but I want you not merely to appreciate it in theory but in practice too, so that you will each one of you before Good Press Sunday come to an end take a definite decision to become regular readers of good literature in the coming year and to do your part to induce others also to do likewise.

Well-Informed On Truth

"Why, you might ask, is it necessary to insist in this way on good reading? Is there some special need of it now that did not exist before? There is a very special need, but I am selecting only two of the many reasons that exist. You should read what is good, firstly, in order to counteract in yourselves the effect of so many hurtful influences that are working upon you, and, secondly, to be well-informed on the side of Truth. But, first of all, let me say what I mean by good reading. I do not mean what is merely negatively good, that is, what is not definitely bad. I mean what is positively good, books and papers that are expressly written to help you to lead better lives and to be active in the cause of good.

"Reading of this kind is necessary, as I said, to counteract in yourselves the influences for evil that are actively affecting you. There is no need for me to tell you that such influences are at work round about you; influences active against the very name of God; influences subversive of the moral order; influences directed against everything that stands for justice and lawful authority. And what are we to oppose to these influences? I know that I am speaking to many of different faiths, to many in whose hearts religion holds a varying place, to some in whom it holds perhaps no place, but as you come here to a function held under Catholic auspices I know that you are prepared for what I am going to say when I tell you that it is my faith, and the faith of those with whom I stand, that the Truth of Christ is the only thing that can stand against the forces of evil working in the world to-day, that to-day it is more than ever "Christ or Chaos", and that the eternal Truth of Christ can only be stoutly defended when it rests in the age-old,

unchanging fortress of the Catholic Church.

Bad Influences

"The issue is knit to-day. It is between Christ or Chaos in the home, Christ or Chaos in the state. Is the home being attacked? Can you read a paper, can you open a magazine, can you take up a novel, can you visit a cinema without having thrust before you blatantly shamelessly, the claim that God does not matter, that sin does not matter, that all that matters is money and pleasure, and that only drunkards and puritans think the contrary. And what is our answer to that? While others temporise and compromise, we oppose to it fearlessly the Catholic doctrine of the sanctity of marriage, the life-long endurance of the marriage bond, the sacred obligations of parenthood, the eternal truth that pleasure is not the one object of existence, and that suffering and hardship must sometimes be endured if eternal life is to be won.

"How can you impress upon yourselves sufficiently strongly these principles, so that they will stand firm against all the callousness and cynicism and evil example that you see around you; how, if not by letting your mind open to good impressions through good reading? Read regularly books or papers that are not inimical to the truth as other books and papers are inordinately hostile to it, and the evil that they do will be combated. Remember, I am not speaking against all non-Catholic publications as if they all were harmful. Least of all am I making any accusation on our local press. We are fortunate in Hong Kong in having clean press that maintains a high sense of the dignity and honour of journalism, but it has to bear witness to the events in the world around us, and the things it has to tell are only too often the deeds of those who regard not either God or His law.

Truth Needs Champions

"Secondly, I said that you have to be well-informed on Truth. There have been different times and different places in which Truth needed special champions. At one time it needed valiant pioneers who would defend it courageously against all attack; now, perhaps more than anything else, it needs well-informed adherents who can give reason for the Faith that they hold and defend it by sound argument against sneers and indifference as well as against direct attack.

"How can you become well-informed if not by reading? You need not spend days over ponderous volumes. If you make a practice of reading regularly some of the periodicals or small booklets that are issued now to meet the needs of the day, you will be prepared to withstand attack and to help others to withstand it.

Catholic Periodicals

"Hence my recommendation to you on this Good Press Day is to register a determination to become regular readers of good literature. What kind of literature? I have two suggestions. Either become regular readers of some Catholic periodical or become a regular purchaser of Catholic pamphlets. What periodical? Any Catholic periodical. You see them on sale outside the door of your churches on Sunday morning. There are monthly and weekly periodicals available. Choose any one you please.

"As I happen to be Editor of a Catholic monthly periodical, The Rock, I naturally feel interested in that one. It is designed to meet your needs and your interests. For instance, in the new number that is now on sale you find an account of the experiences of a heroic Missionary in the hands of the Communists. Fr. Bravo, the Dominican, who was more than a year's imprisonment, released only a few weeks ago after



Beautiful Harriet Griffith, American danseuse, will be appearing with her partner at the Rose Room Gala, Peninsula Hotel, next Saturday.

OLD, GOTHIC CASTLE UNEARTHED**Hidden From Turks 900 Years Ago****IMPORTANT DISCOVERY IN HUNGARY**

Budapest.

Excavation work near Gran, the historic seat of the Hungarian Prince Archbishops, has resulted in the discovery of the castle of King Stephen, called the Saint, who ruled here over 900 years ago.

The find was made by a worker whose axe dropped and vanished below the ground. When he squeezed through the hole to get it, he found the buried courtyard of a castle, parts of which were subsequently unearthed.

The castle was of Gothic style and was filled with many interesting remnants, dating from various periods, such as friezes, mouldings, capitals, pieces of columns and weapons.

Covered With Earth

A suite of subterranean apartments with additions constructed later was unearthed; as well as an underground passage and two rooms connecting the palace with St. Stephen's Chapel. The reason why nothing has been known heretofore about the existence of the underground rooms is that they were covered with earth to hide them from the Turks who invaded Hungary in the sixteenth century. Other parts of the castle were later adapted to serve as a fortress.

According to the opinion of archaeological experts, there is no doubt that the underground rooms unearthed now, formed the main part of the palace of King Stephen the Saint, who inhabited it for about 20 years, from 1005 to 1025, when he took up residence in Stuhlwaisenburg, while the bishops made Gran their residence, building annexes to the palace.

Three Periods Of Style

Three different periods of architectural style can be distinguished: the Roman period from the eleventh to twelfth centuries, evidenced particularly by reminders of the Roman fresco paintings and by the castle wall. The second period, late Gothic style, is featured by fine pieces of capitals, vaults and turrets, from the fourteenth century. The third period, dating back to the golden days of King Matthias Corvinus, shows Renaissance style, with Italian traits visible particularly in the beautiful moldings.

Other objects found there include old Hungarian arms, missiles, armors, collars and antique household utensils.

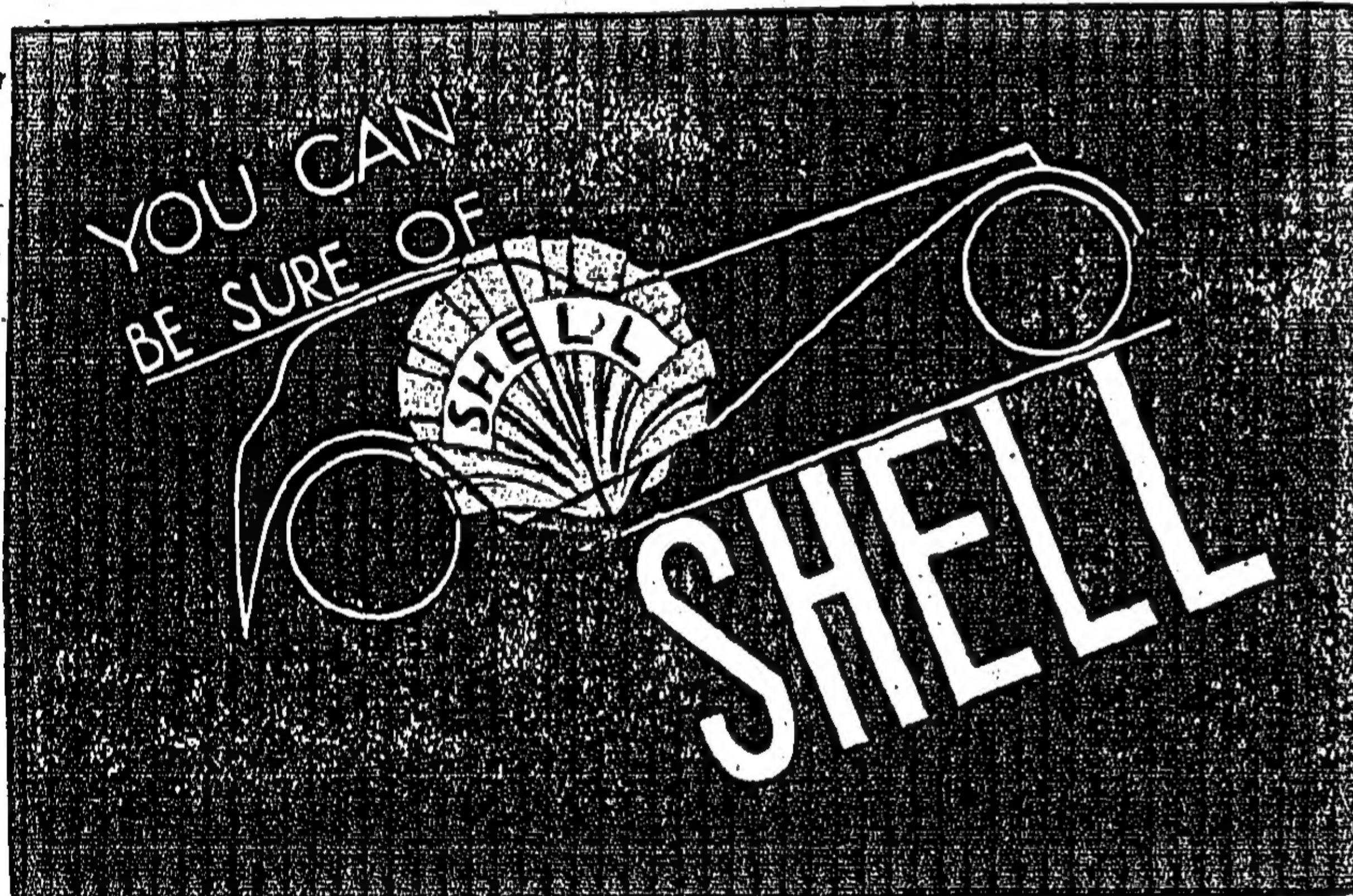
The most remarkable discovery, however, is another subterranean corridor which leads down to the bank of the Danube River, and it is expected, passes underneath the river bed to the opposite shore. More interesting discoveries are expected to be made, especially in the area situated between the courtyard and the old fortress wall, because this is the oldest part of the palace.

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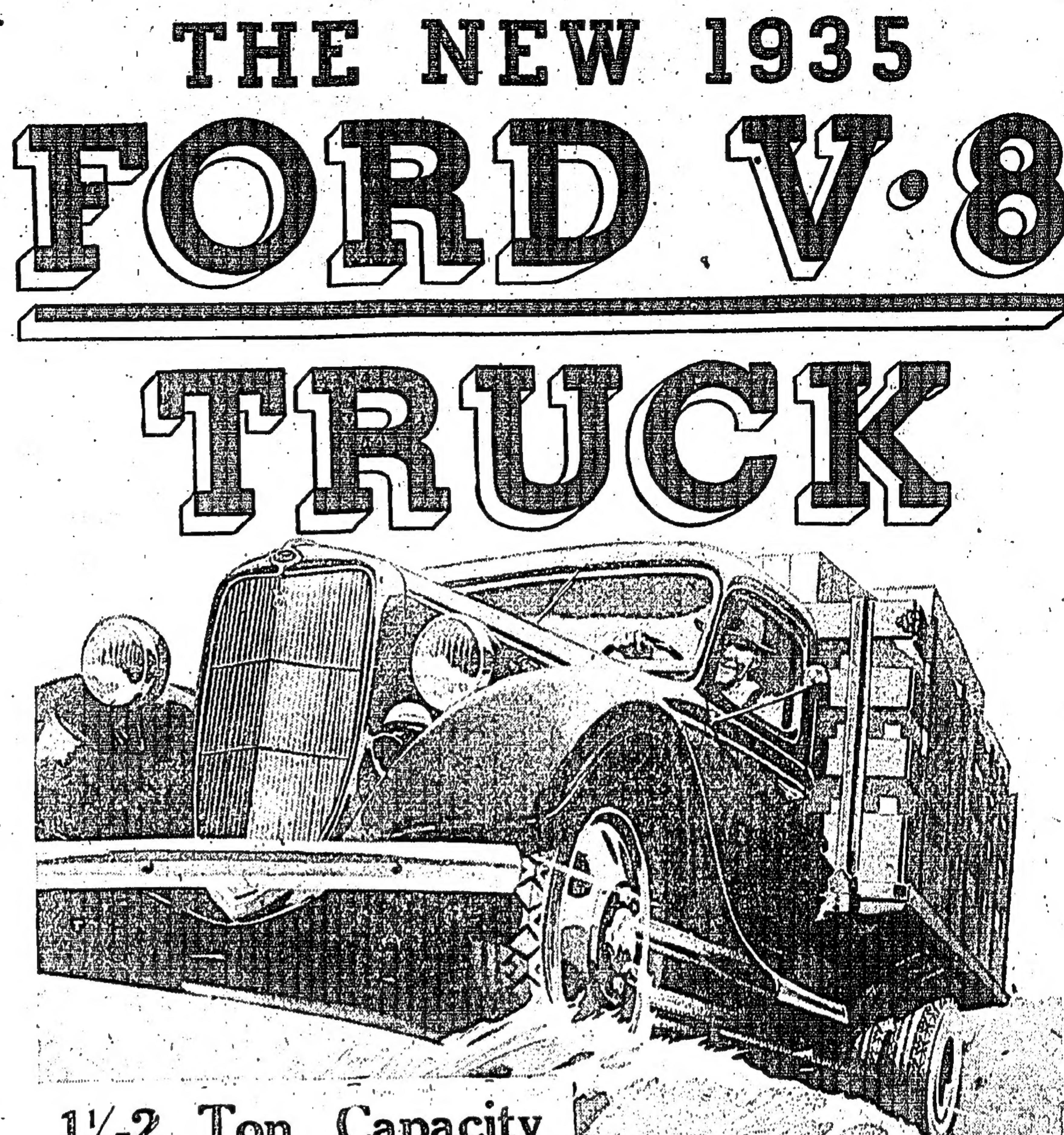
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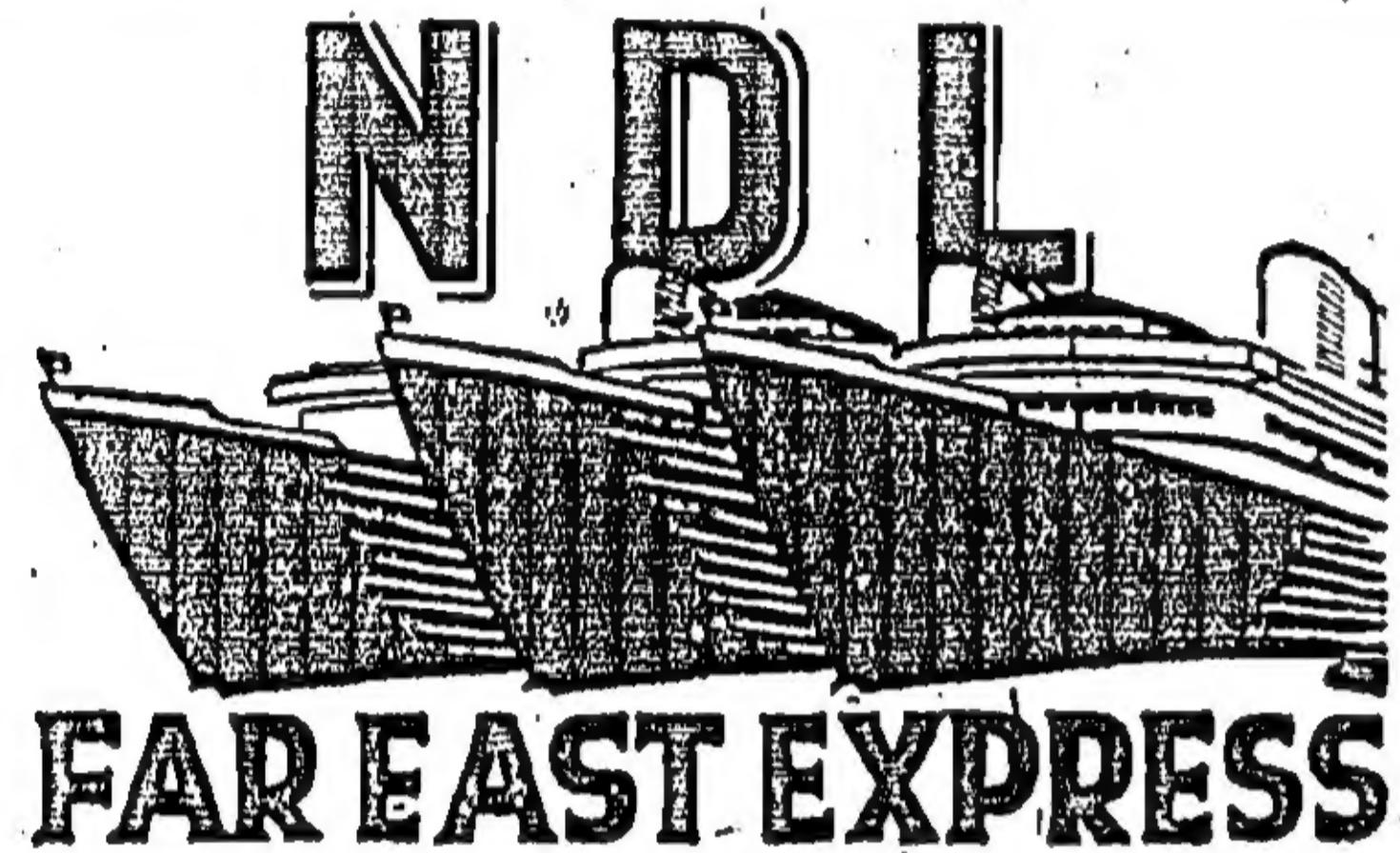
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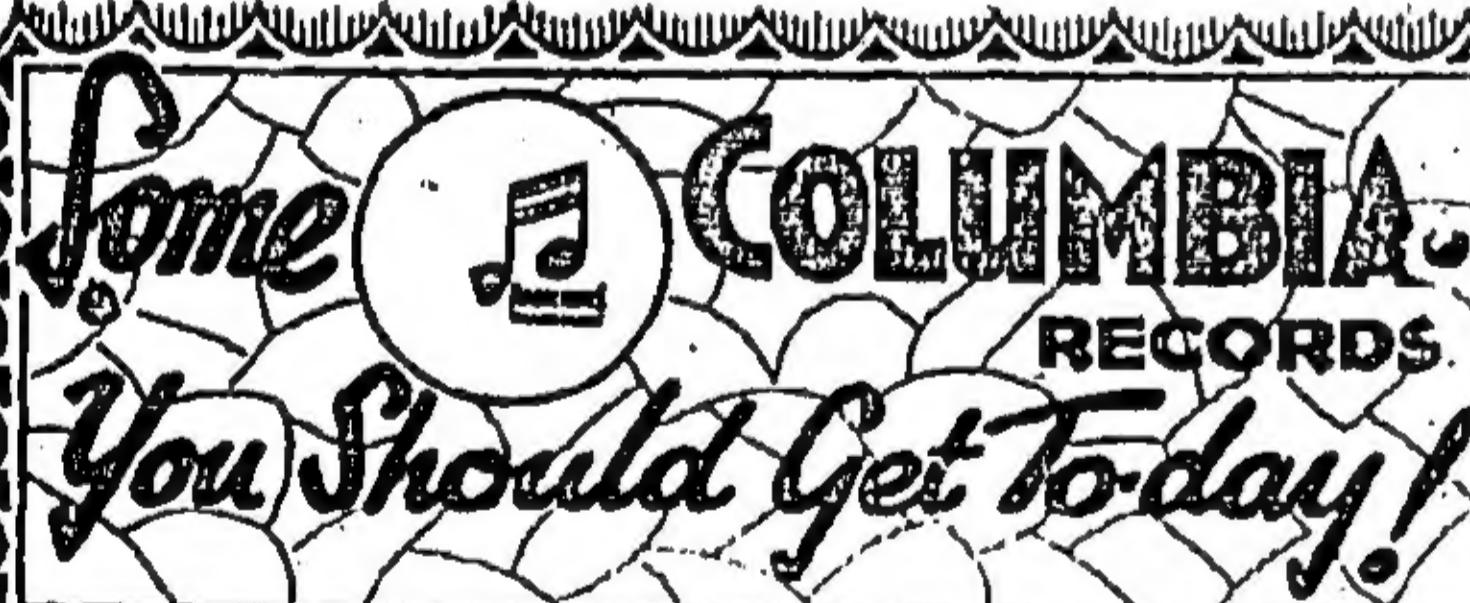
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Berlin And Moscow.

IT was Napoleon who said that it was his principle not to employ any General who had been "unlucky." An atrociously inequitable system, no doubt; but rather akin to that of the genius of the modern British Navy, Admiral "Jacky" Fisher, whose maxim was that "nepotism is the soul of efficiency." The idea is that of the racing men who hold the doctrine of "horses for courses," which means simply that some horses that have quite capable of winning will only win at certain places, and will have some bad luck; such as getting "shut in" elsewhere. However inequitable and deplorable these freaks of fortune may be there is, no doubt, that they have their effect on history.

These reflections are suggested by the "exploratory" tour of Sir John Simon in Europe. With every wish for his success, it is very difficult to forget that never has he been favoured with a glint of sunshine from the sun of Good Luck. Born of "Quaker" ancestry, with one of the keenest analytical brains of our time, it is not likely that those who seek the peace of the world will ever have a more sincere advocate as their representative, and yet we find that after several years of endeavour with very loyal backing he is faced with a keener suspicion and a higher temperature of war fever in Europe than there has been since 1914. Forty years ago, when he was still an undergraduate and President of the Oxford Union Debating Society, he was a popular speaker known on many platforms in the North of England. Lord Rosebery gave a dinner in his honour in the National Liberal Club, before he took his degree, to introduce him to the older generation of public men; and Mr. Asquith made him his Solicitor-General. It was he who drafted for Mr. Lloyd George the enormously intricate scheme of self-supporting National Insurance, only to see his handiwork destroyed later by the "generosity" of men who preferred popularity to solvency in the matter of "transitional benefit." A little later, as Attorney General, he drafted "Dora," — the Defence of the Realm Act, — which only became so unpopular because it was so effective for war purposes. Then, with the Lord Chancellorship offered to him, he sacrificed his whole career rather than agree to conscription, against which his early training had given him a conscientious objection. Some years of wandering in a political wilderness followed, during which he was unable to persuade any constituency to send him once more to Parliament. But his views on conscription did not prevent his going to the front voluntarily and giving much useful help as a legal adviser on the Staff in France and there were appearances in famous cases known to every lawyer, including even an appearance at the Old Bailey in a murder case in which he delivered what the best of all critics, Marshall Hall, who had expected to brief himself, said was the greatest speech ever made in that famous Court.

Then came re-election to Parliament, and the National Government gave an opportunity of ignoring old party ties and differences of war policy. The appointment to the Secretaryship of Foreign Affairs was the fulfilment of a lifelong ambition, and the task was shoudered of making the League of Nations the alternative to war. It would be tedious to enumerate the disappointments of the last few years, of which it may be said in general that successive positions have been won always a year too late for the victory to be of any use.

This conference with Dr. Fuehrer in Berlin is not the first encounter of the two men. There was a very interesting correspondence when Germany resigned from the League, in which the case against resignation was so forcefully stated that there was practically nothing left to be said. Herr Hitler's reply was that the question at issue could not be decided by the British Minister's "juridical arguments." As the whole purpose of the League was to substitute "juridical" discussion for menaces and force, there was then nothing left to be said in reply by Sir John.

We live in days when there are regular posts; there are also telegraph and telephones, not to mention Ambassadors and newspapers; never was there so elaborate a mechanism for conveying news and opinions. When the aeroplane has to be dragged in to enable a Government to find out what another Government means the diplomatic machine has broken down completely. And it is a final stroke of bad luck that just at this moment the sore point of Menel has to be aggravated by the capital sentence passed on four German citizens for murder of an accomplice in espionage. It seems for a bit of good luck to come along.

**A SOUTH AFRICAN FIREBRAND**

THE passing of Tielman Viljoen Roos after a long illness removed one of vivid personalities from Empire politics. It is amazing how few people follow with intelligent interest the politics of any part of the Empire that does not happen to be their own residence; although they are often amazed themselves when it occurs that a long neglected subject breaks out into a disturbance that affects us all. Tielman Roos was educated on English lines in South Africa, and at the time of the South African War passed peaceful and studious years in the security of Capetown. Yet a few years later he was the recognized leader of the Transvaal Afrikaans Republican party, and had ousted General Botha and Smuts from their influence. Where he differed from Mr. De Valera and Mahatma Gandhi, who have been in the somewhat similar position of having it in their power to break up the Empire, was that he understood the working of Constitutional Government. Had the controversies of those years in South Africa, and the experience gathered in the course of their solution,—briefly, the conception of Dominion Status,—been studied and applied elsewhere, a vast amount of friction in Ireland would have been avoided; and it must be remembered that it was in South Africa that the Mahatma learned his politics.

"Tielman," as he was always called, was a genial soul in private life, and even the Native leaders, whose claim to a vote he vehemently opposed, bore him no illwill. As one of them remarked when upbraided for not being fierce enough, "We all know our Tielman." He liked a man to carry his money loose in his pocket, and never trusted anyone who used a purse, which he took to indicate a close-fisted disposition. After retiring from politics to the bench, he resigned in order to force the Government, by a tearing ringing campaign of propaganda, to abandon the gold standard, which was ruining the farmer by putting his prices above the market. The present prosperity has abundantly justified him. He had a violent dislike to Dr. Malan, now the leader of the Nationalist Rump, partly because he was a "predicant"—or parson,—and partly because he was stout and bald, quite apart from his political views. Altogether he was very much a live wire, who could be relied on to make politics exciting.

ELIJAH

WHAT a rare treat the "Hong Kong Singers" gave us on Thursday night at the Cathedral. The up to date affectation of despising Oratorio because the music is familiar and has no fireworks, and because phrases are repeated, is merely a passing whim. For one thing the Oratorio will always be popular with singers who make no pretence of a professional standard of training, and for another a good performance makes a popular festival which is not at all likely to be supplanted by Grand Opera or any other recognised form. The deficiency of Mendelssohn makes a fine contrast with Handel's majestic power; but it would not be easy

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OVERHEARD**Education vs. Crime**

"Keeping young people in school and giving them a good foundation for life is the best way of keeping them out of crime."

Not Competitive

"The time has come when Great Britain and the United States should show the world that their two navies are not competitive but complementary, and that the two together form a powerful instrument for peace."

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"It is very doubtful whether the requirement of an elementary knowledge of a language is of much value."

Profit

"No wise man has any intention of destroying the profit motive."

LONDON TO PARIS DURING LUNCH**THRILL OF TRAVEL BY IMPERIAL AIRWAYS**
IMPRESSIONS OF JOURNEY BY GREAT LINER

(By E. N. Parker)

M. R. J. B. Priestley remarks in his book "English Journey" that our great ocean liners mean to-day something of what the cathedrals meant in the Middle Ages. After the launching of the Queen Mary it is easy to agree with him, and to understand that the same kind of pride and devotion which could work miracles in stone must have been present to inspire the creation of such marvels as these modern ships.

"But the liners of the air are not less wonderful. If in a great liner you almost forget that you are at sea, so in a big air-liner do you find it hard to realize that you are in an aeroplane. The long saloons that look like railway Pullmans, the meals laid before you, the reading lamp at your elbow, and the bell that summons the steward—this is not flying, it is travelling *de luxe*. And *de luxe* is the right expression, since nothing but travel through the air can give such speed and smoothness of motion.

Few Air Wobbles

"Clearly a weight of 14 tons, moving steadily at 100 miles an hour, is not likely to be deflected much by chance blows or breezes. A bicycle may bump and wobble on an uneven road whose inequalities are absolutely imperceptible to the occupant of a motor-coach. Very similar is the difference between an air-liner of the Hercules type and an ordinary non-commercial airplane.

"It is not surprising that the passenger air traffic between London and Paris grows greater every month. By air the journey between the two capitals becomes an affair of unimagined simplicity. Gone are all the old fatigues of transferring oneself and one's luggage from train to boat, and then again from boat to train. Instead, there is this: a private motor-coach from the Alway Terminus in central London to the Air Port of Croydon, a flight of about two hours to the French Air Port of Le Bourget, and then another brief motor run to the heart of Paris. Passing through the Customs is a matter of five minutes or less, for instead of hundreds of people

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Hong Kong Personalities

MR. WAI SHIU-PAK

This is the thirty-fifth of the exclusive series of sketches of leading Colony residents by Mr. A. S. Konya, the talented Hungarian artist.

OUR personality this week is Mr. Wai Shiu-pak, alias Videl, who, though he has been a resident of Hong Kong for only five years, has, during that time, quietly and unobtrusively, conferred many benefits upon the Colony.

Mr. Wai Shiu-pak, who is 43 years of age and a native of the San Shui district of Kwangtung, has spent the greater part of his life in French Indo-China, where he was educated at the French Commercial College of Saigon. He is naturally a fluent speaker of French. His acts of benevolence in Indo-China were many and of great extent, he having donated large sums of money for the building of the Kwong Shu Hospital, the Kwong Shu Association and the Chinese Chamber of Commerce in Saigon. For his many philanthropic activities he received the thanks of the French Government and was awarded the Dragon Medal in 1932. In addition he was awarded gold medals by the Kings of Annam and Cambodia. He was elected to represent the Chinese community in Saigon and as such was approved by the French Government. He is a director of the Kwong Shu Hospital, the Kwong Shu Association and the Chinese Chamber of Commerce in Saigon.

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"HERALD" CALENDAR

March 27, 1917.—Launch at Takkoo Dock, Hong Kong, of s.s. *Antonyus*.

March 28, 1839.—Commissioner Lin burned 20,289 chests of opium at Canton.

March 28, 1922.—Peak Residents' Association formed.

March 30, 1885.—Arrival of Sir George Bowen, Governor.

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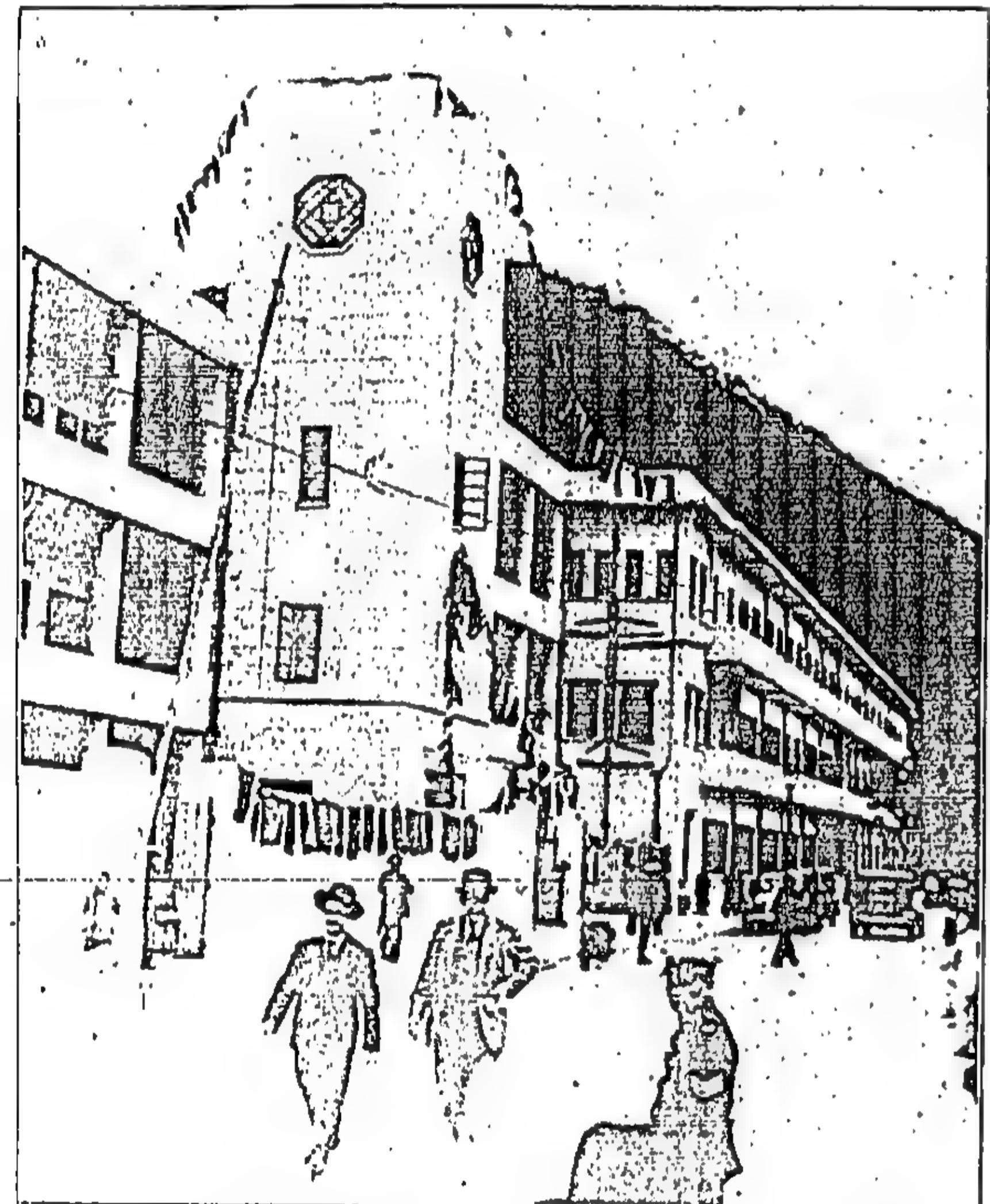
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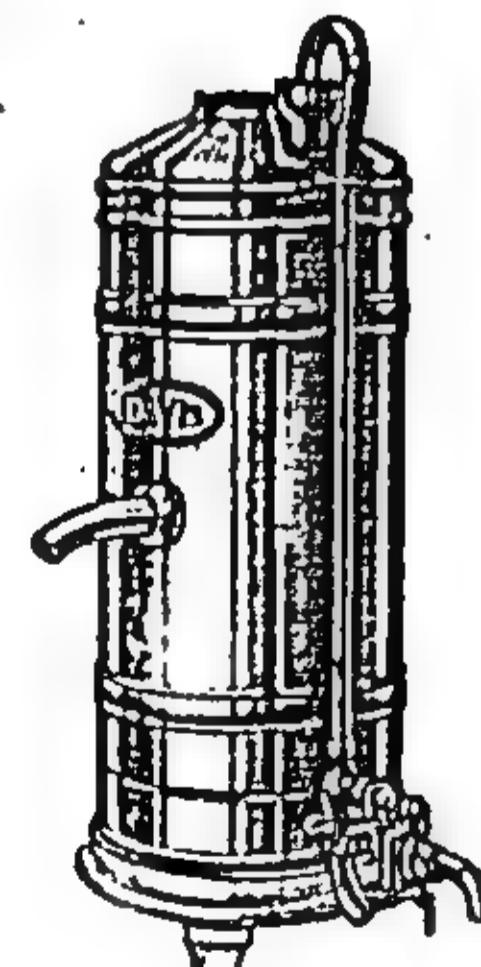
Sir Robert Ho-tung (centre) and Sir Thomas Southorn (right) were among those who attended the opening ceremony of the new Aberdeen Industrial School last Tuesday afternoon.—(Chang's Studio)



The new Aberdeen Industrial School was opened last Tuesday by H.E. the Governor. The management has been undertaken by the Salesian Fathers.—(King's Studio).

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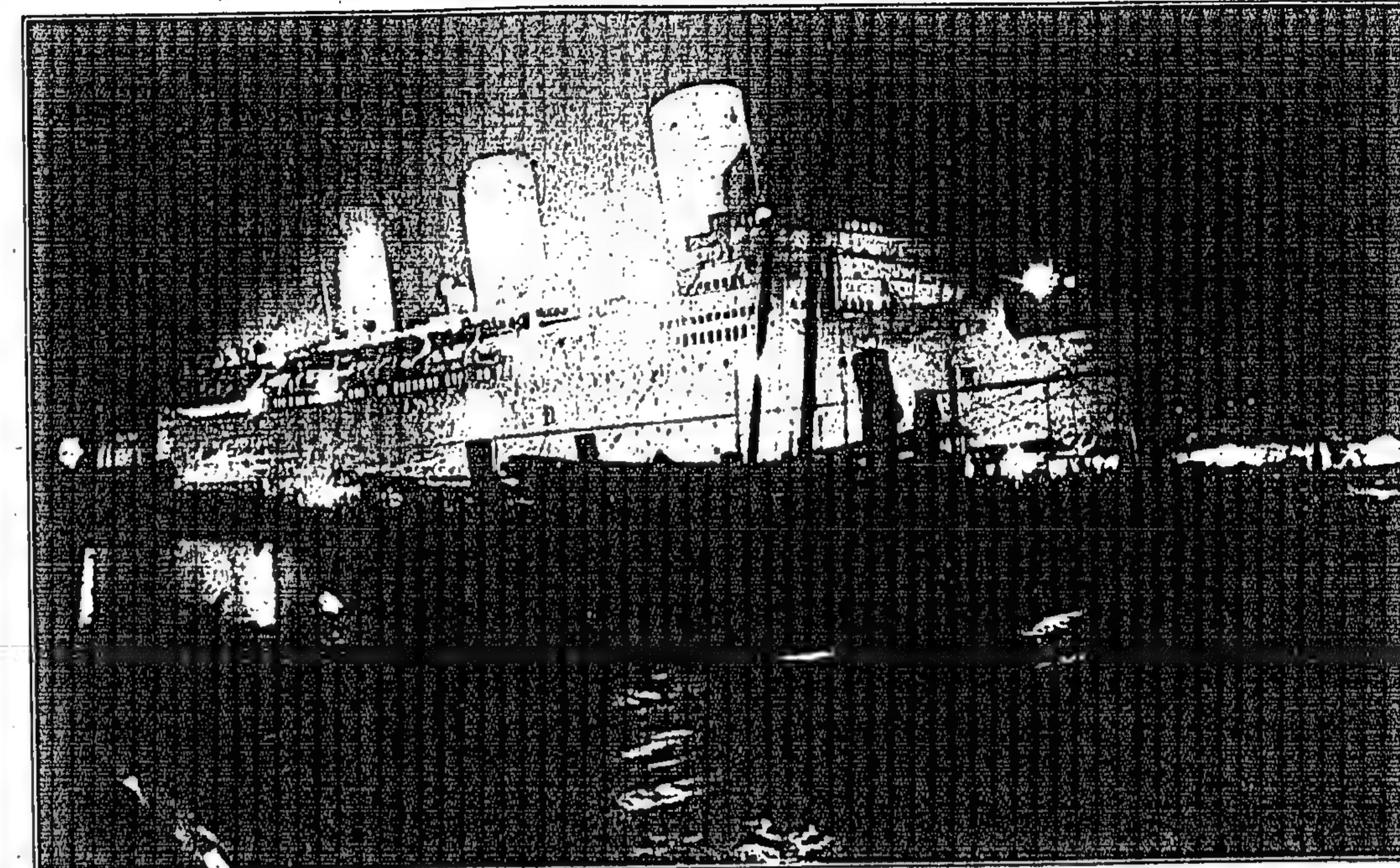


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The local A.D.C. cast for Noel Coward's "The Young Idea," which will be staged at the China Fleet Club Theatre on April 4, 5 and 6 are pictured below by the Kohza Art Studio Ltd.



"Cicely"—Mrs. Brown

"Roddy"—Mr. McKinley

"Jenifer"—Miss Gough

"Cloud"—Mr. Nigel

"Maria"—Miss Toledano



"Engree"—Mr. Benaka

Miss Fair

Mr. Campbell, the producer

"Hiram"—Mr. O'Kieffe

"Sybil"—Miss Blackburn



Mrs. Prior

Mr. McAllister

"Priscilla"—Mrs. Holt



The s.s. Resolute, Hamburg America's luxury liner, arrived in Hong Kong on her round-the-world cruise last Friday.

BEST STUFF GOING TO STOP 'FLU COMING --- BOVRIL



"George"—Mr. Champkin



The Army soccer eleven, which secured a brilliant win over South China Athletic Association last Sunday at Causeway Bay. Ridley, the hero of the encounter, who secured a "hat-trick," is seen second from the right, sitting on the ground.—(King's Studio).



Rowlands, the Fusilier and Army custodian, making a daring and characteristic save in last Sunday's Kitewall Cup game against the South China Athletic Association.—(King's Studio).



The thrilling finish to the 200 Metres sprint at the Inter-School sports meeting which was held at Caroline Hill, showing Ong Cheng-nu of the Diocesan Boys' School breaking the tape a few inches ahead of J. L. Alves of La Salle College.—(King's Studio).



"Kid Millions" Eddie Cantor's fifth annual screen musical comedy for Samuel Goldwyn, which is now showing at the King's Theatre, is the season's most ambitious venture in the way of song-and-girl entertainment.



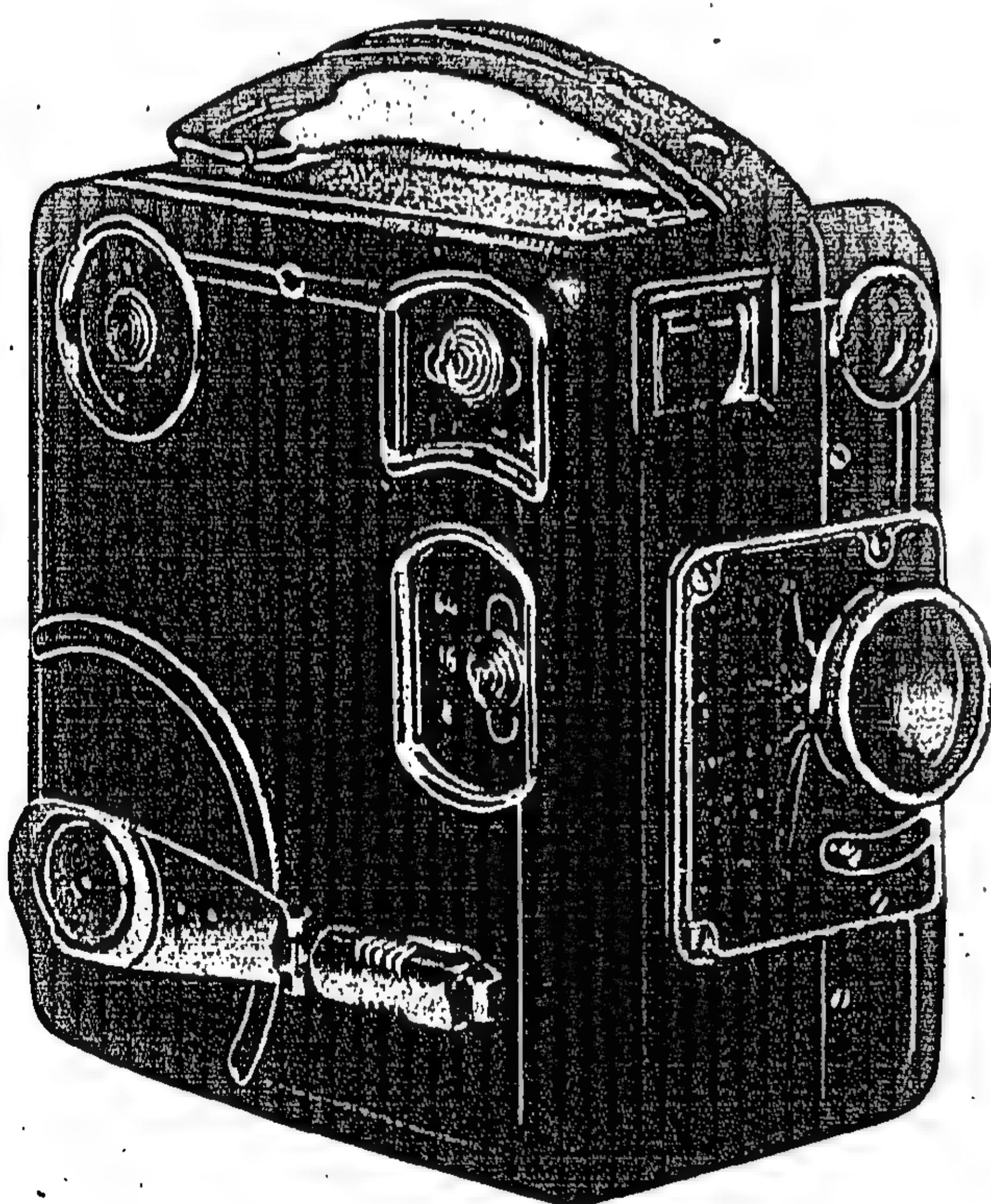
The wedding cake made by the Hong Kong Hotel on the occasion of the marriage between Mr. Fung Chi-yim and Miss Emily Tam, which took place on March 20.



H.E. the Governor, Sir William Peel, right, with the Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith, Secretary for Chinese Affairs, photographed at the Aberdeen Industrial School last Tuesday.—(King's Studio).



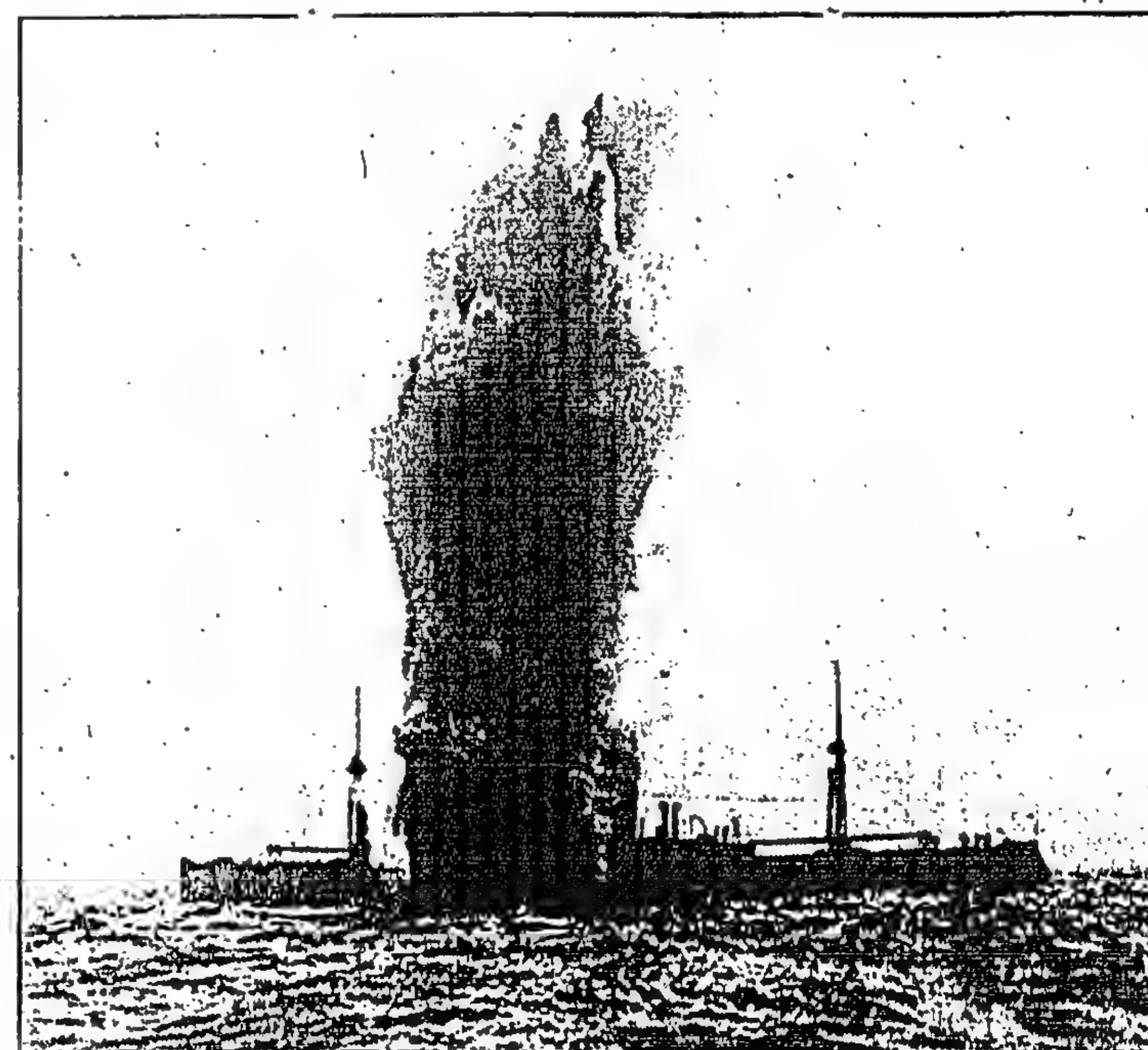
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HONG KONG AND THE NEW TERRITORIES. — No. 149.

THESE Notes are numbered 149 because inadvertently two in succession were both numbered 146 and in consequence last week's Notes, though numbered 147, should have been 148.

The Advent of Spring

In spite of the extremely windy and changeable weather we have been experiencing these last few weeks, all of us must have noticed a number of changes which have taken place in the countryside. Many trees have put on new garments of bright green, olive or pink tinted foliage. Some have shed their old leaves to expose their delicate branches to the wind and rain; but for a few days only, so quickly do the new leaves unfold and clothe their naked limbs as if they were ashamed to remain nudist for long. The fig trees, the large-leaved banyans, are noteworthy in this respect; clothed in faded leaves

GOVERNMENT HOUSE FUNCTIONS**Many Social Activities During Week**

The Social activities of His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel, K.C.M.G., K.B.E., and Lady Peel, and Government House functions for the week ending Saturday, are recorded in the following official communiqué issued from Government House yesterday.

Tuesday March 26th.

His Excellency received Lt. Cdr. Kano-oka commanding H.I.J.M. Gunboat "Saga."

In the afternoon His Excellency, accompanied by Lady Peel and attended by Captain Walter, performed the opening ceremony of the new Aberdeen Industrial School.

His Excellency presided at meetings of the Executive Council in the morning and the Legislative Council in the afternoon.

Thursday March 28th.

His Excellency received His Excellency Admiral Sir Frederic Dreyer, K.C.B., C.B.E., British Naval Commander-in-Chief, on his return to Hong Kong.

In the evening His Excellency and Lady Peel, attended by Captain Walter and Mr. Pilcher, were the guests of the Honourable Dr. S. W. Ts'o, O.B.E., at Chinese theatrical performance at the King's Theatre in aid of the funds of the Chinese company of the Hong Kong Police Reserve.

Friday March 29th.

His Excellency the Governor, attended by Captain Walter, was the guest of the Chairman and Members of the Committees of the Hong Kong Chamber of Commerce and China Association in Hong Kong at a farewell luncheon given in honour of the Hon. Mr. C. G. S. Mackie.

In the evening His Excellency and Lady Peel, attended by Captain Walter, were the guests of His Excellency the British Naval Commander-in-Chief and Lady Dreyer at dinner on board H.M.S. "Kent".

Saturday March 30th.

The following dined at Government House.

His Excellency Admiral Sir Frederic and Lady Dreyer, His Excellency Major-General O.C. and Mrs. Barrett, The Rt. Revd. Bishop and Mrs. Hall, His Honour Mr. Justice and Mrs. A. D. A. Macgregor, Commodore and Mrs. F. Elliott, Major-General F. W. Barron, O.B.E., Hon. Sir Thomas and Lady Southern, Hon. Mr. N. L. and Mrs. Smith, Hon. Mr. Edwin and Mrs. Taylor, Hon. Mr. R. M. and Mrs. Henderson, Hon. Sir Henry and Lady Pollock, Hon. Sir William and Lady Shenton, Mrs. R. H. Kotewall, Hon. Mr. G. S. Mackie, Captain E. R. Bent, D.S.C., R.N., Captain the Honourable and Mrs. G. Fraser, Commodore F. N. Altwood, R.N., Captain and Mrs. I. B. B. Tower, Miss Mackie, Paymaster Commander F. R. Porter, R.N., Lt. Cdr. F. B. Tours, R.N., and Mr. W. S. A. Clough-Taylor.

Mr. J. R. Cannon, of Messrs. S. Moutrie and Co. Ltd., left the Colony by the s.s. President Grant yesterday.

COMING-OF-AGE BALL**Hong Kong University Arts Association Function**

A gathering of over 400 people attended the Coming-of-Age Ball given by the Hong Kong University Arts Association in commemoration of its 21st anniversary in the Great Hall of the University last night.

In spite of the damp weather, the Hall was crowded to capacity, and most enjoyable evening was spent, by all. The programme comprised of 14 items, which included six fox-trots and three waltzes to the strains of the Hong Kong Hotel "Revellers" Orchestra, conducted by Mr. J. A. Silverio.

Among those noticed at the dance were: Sir William Hornell, the Vice-Chancellor of the University, Professor R. Robertson, Mr. G. Birch, Professor Middleton-Smith, Mr. H. C. MacNamara, Mr. T. Y. Fung, Mr. Y. Y. Cheng, Messrs. K. Y. Lo, Y. S. Chan, C. W. Ng, Miss J. Wong and Miss W. Y.

SERGEANTS' MESS ANNUAL BALL**Over 150 Couples At Lane Crawford's**

The annual ball of the Warrant Officers, Staff-Sergeants, and Sergeants of the Garrison Sergeants' Mess, was attended by over 150 couples at Lane Crawford's Restaurant, Exchange Building, last night.

Among those present were Brigadier and Mrs. H. G. Seth-Smith, Colonel and Mrs. H. G. Morris, Colonel and Mrs. W. J. H. Bildebeck, Colonel and Mrs. Johnson, Major Roupell, V.C., and Mrs. Roupell, Major and Mrs. J. H. Stevens, and Captain and Mrs. L. J. Welch.

The orchestra from H.M.S. Hermes provided the music for a most enjoyable evening.

The committee in charge was comprised of S.S.M. W.S. Daley, S.Q.M.S. Sanderson, Sergeant Smith, Staff-Sergeant Cross and Sergeant Ranson.

HOTEL MANAGER ON LEAVE**Mr. Piovaneli Bound For Italy**

Mr. A. G. Piovaneli, manager of the Hong Kong Hotel, accompanied by Mrs. Piovaneli, left the Colony on leave yesterday morning on board the s.s. President Polk. He is bound for Italy.

On his pleasure trip of six months' duration Mr. Piovaneli expects to visit the more famous hotels in the European cities.

During his absence Mr. O. A. Kaluzhny, better known as "Alex," the sub-manager, will act as manager.

LADY SOUTHORN TO BE HONOURED TO-MORROW

The Chinese friends of Lydy Southorn are holding a reception at the Hong Kong Hotel to-morrow at 4.30 p.m. in honour of the confirmation on her by His Majesty the King of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire.

One case of small-pox and two cases of meningitis were reported in the Colony during the 24 hours ended March 29.

JUMBLE SALE AT ST. ANDREW'S**\$100 Collected In Aid Of Benevolent Society**

A successful Jumble sale was held in the St. Andrew's Church Hall yesterday when a total of over \$100 was collected in aid of the St. Andrew's Church Benevolent Society.

Mrs. J. P. Robinson, was in charge, while Mrs. A. S. Bliss, Mrs. A. White, Mrs. W. Bird, Mrs. Spencey, Mrs. Brewin, Mrs. Holden, Mrs. Donald, Mrs. Petterick, Miss W. Robinson and Miss W. White helped to make the sale a success.

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Smartness By Local Police Catches Out Money-Changer

Clever detective work on the part of the Hong Kong Police resulted in the arrest of Chau Ming, a money changer, who was charged before Mr. Q. A. A. Macnaulay at the Central Magistracy yesterday morning for uttering 40 counterfeit coins, and for being in possession of 141 counterfeit Chinese cent pieces at No. 143 Connaught Road Central.

On being informed of accused's activity, Inspector K. W. Andrew, disguised a Chinese detective as an overseas Chinese from Singapore, who went to the shop in question to change some money. Counterfeit coins were handed out.

A search conducted by Inspector Andrew, who followed the Chinese detective into the shop, revealed that on a wooden tray, which had 10 compartments, four rows con-

PRETTY WEDDING AT POKFULAM**Dr. Ernest To Married To Austrian Girl****DISTINGUISHED GATHERING AT RECEPTION**

A reception in honour of the marriage of Dr. Ernest To, son of Dr. and Mrs. Coxton To of Hong Kong, and Miss Hermine Leopoldine Long, the elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis X. Long of Linz A.D. Donau, Austria, was held yesterday afternoon at Villa Magnolia, Saigon Road, Pokfulam.

The bride, who wore a lovely gown of chantilly lace with matching veil, was attended by Miss Margery To, the bridesmaid.

The bride was given away by Mr. A. Drouth in the absence of her father, while Mr. J. E. Kotewall performed the duties of best man.

Professor W. I. Gerrard assisted the health of the bride and groom,

and after the reception the happy couple left for Repulse Bay Hotel, where the honeymoon will be spent.

Among the large gathering of friends and relatives present at the reception were Professor and Mrs. W. I. Gerrard and the Misses Girard, Professor and Mrs. K. H. Gibby, Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Thomas, M. and Mme. A. Drouth, Mr. Tse Kapoor, Dr. T. C. Wong, Dr. J. Crook, Mr. Kwok On, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Rossouet, Mr. G. A. Lawrence, Mr. Deitz, Mr. A. D. Coppin, Mr. and Mrs. Litton, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thomas Tam, Dr. A. Gourdin, Rev. and Mrs. H. R. Wells, Rev. N. V. Halward, Dr. D. K. Samy, Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Woo Wai Tak, Mr. and Mrs. Ebba Abraham, Mrs. and Mrs. Goldenberg, Mr. Farmer Ho, Mr. Shea, Mr. Andrew Tse, Mr. George Y. K. Shi, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Kew, Dr. and Mrs. Y. S. Wan, Mr. Frank Grose, Mr. Robert Chan, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Sullaud, Mr. and Mrs. K. Wong and Mr. M. Weill.

GESTETNER'S NEW PREMISES**Moving To Gloucester Building To-morrow**

Due to the increase of their trade in Hong Kong, D. Gestetner (Eastern) Ltd., the manufacturers of the Gestetner Dupliator, are to-morrow opening new showrooms at No. 10, The Arcade, Gloucester Building.

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Personal Pars

Mr. J. Douglas Butcher, who for

the past five years has been man-

ager of the Hong Kong Electric Com-

pany, left for England on retire-

ment last Wednesday by the Blue

Funnel vessel Agamemnon, accom-

panied by Mrs. Butcher. Mr. But-

cher was a local Justice of the Pe-

ace and a member of the Hong Kong

Club, the Royal Hong Kong Golf

Club, the Hong Kong Cricket Club

and the Peak Club.

ST. JOHN BRIGADE BALL NEXT SATURDAY

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Annual Ball will be held at the Hong

Kong Hotel next Saturday.

Accused pleaded guilty to the

charges without saying a word in

defence. Sentence of six months'

hard labour was imposed on the

first charge, while on the second

charge he was fined \$250. In de-

fault three months' hard labour,

the terms to run consecutively.

For assaulting To Chiu, a fellow

worker, Ho Shui-ting, a 30-year-old

woodward coolie, was fined \$10.

In default two weeks' imprisonment, by

Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon

Magistracy, yesterday.

INDIAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE**Resolution Passed And Committee Formed**

A General Public Meeting of the Indian merchants of Hong Kong, Canton, Macao and South China, was held in the hall of the Sind-Hindu Merchants' Club, China Building, yesterday afternoon.

Mr. K. B. Vaidya of Messrs. K. B. Vaidya and Sons, president, and

Mr. N. Nalikram, was passed, and, to proceed with the inauguration of the Chamber, a provisional organising committee of seven members was formed.

Those present at the meeting were: Messrs. K. B. Vaidya and Sons, Isaac (Isack and Company), A. Tarivala (Tarivala and Company), W. S. Rathor (Rathor and Company), A. Sedick (Sedick and Company), V. S. Singham (National Publishers Limited), A. R. H. Ismail (H. M. H. Ismail and Company), N. Nalikram (D. Chellaram and Company), and M. Mehta, Mohan Singh, and K. Nenu, of the Regal Store.

DEATH PRESUMED**Herbert Larard Declared Lost On Yue Ying-wah.****SEQUEL TO 1925 TYPHOON**

Before His Honour the Chief Justice, Mr. A. D. A. MacGregor;

Mr. Leo D'Almada Jr., instructed

by Mr. F. G. Nigel of Messrs.

Johnson, Stokes and Masters,

this morning made an application

for leave to presume the death of

Herbert Larard, Marine Engineer, for the purposes of adminis-

tration.

Counsel said that deceased's nearest relatives, Charles Edward Larard and Amelia Larard, of London, had instructed their solicitors that they had corresponded with the deceased since September, 1923 till the time of disappearance in August, 1925.

They further stated that they were aware that the deceased had lost Holbow for Hong Kong on the s.s. Yue Ying-w



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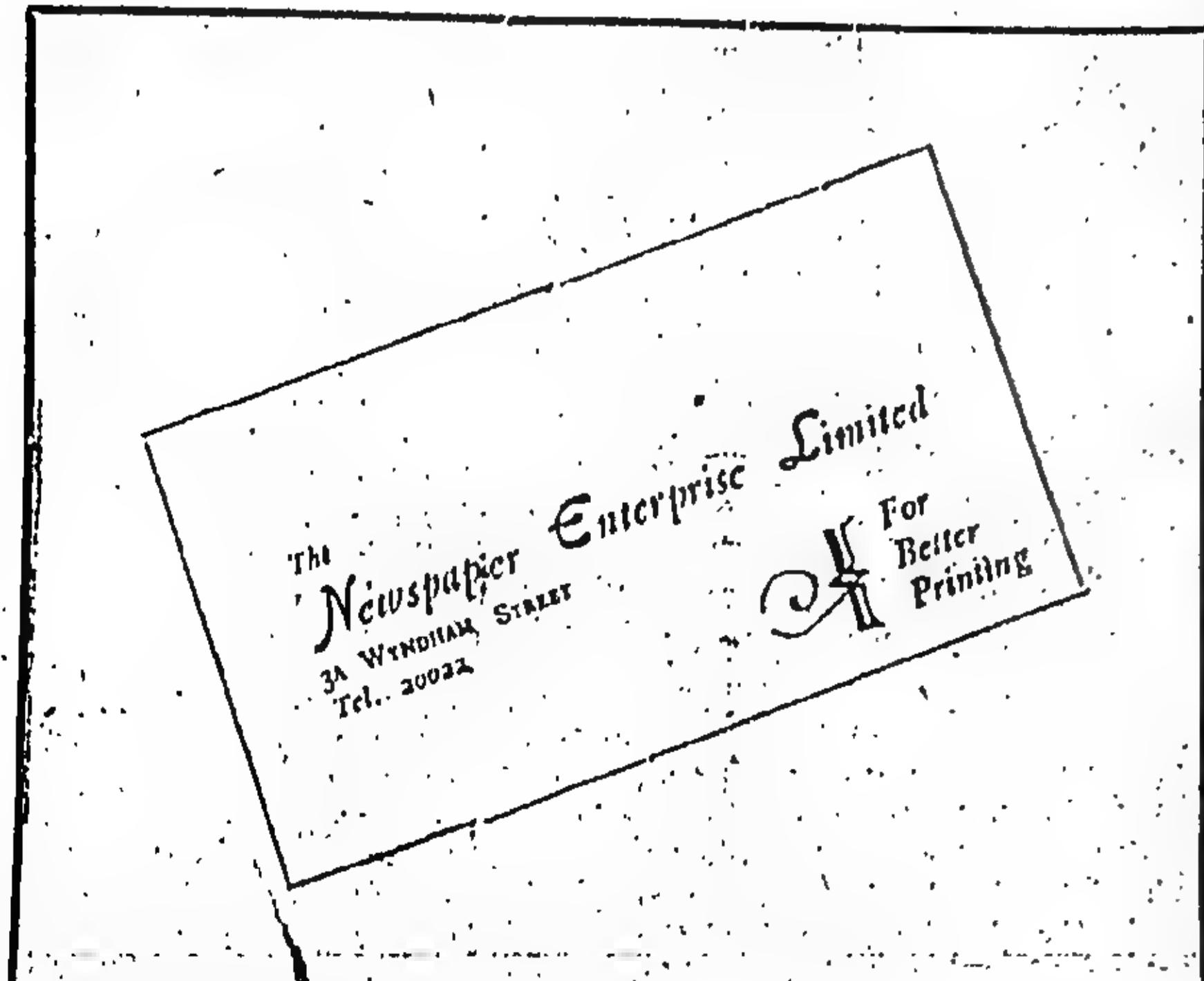
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LOCAL WEATHER FORECASTS ILLUSTRATED



LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

Mothering Sunday will be observed to-day at St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon.

A Tea Dance will be held at the Repulse Bay Hotel to-day at 4.30 p.m.

Sealed tenders in triplicate which should clearly be marked "Contract for Printing Official Papers and "Contract for Job Printing" will be received at the office of the Colonial Secretary not later than noon on Monday, April 15, 1935.

Sealed tenders in triplicate are invited for "Filling in Area North of Prince Edward Road and East of Gramplan Road," and will be received at the Colonial Secretary's Office not later than noon of Tuesday, April 16, 1935.

Sealed tenders in triplicate for "Formation of 'Flight Gap' North of Sai Kung Road," will be received at the Colonial Secretary's office not later than noon of Wednesday, April 17, 1935.

The R.M.S. Empress of Britain, continuing her round-the-world cruise arrived at Shanghai (Woo-sung) on Friday and left at midnight for Chinwangtiao, where she is due to-day.

The R.M.S. Empress of Japan left Yokohama on Friday and is due in Vancouver on April 9. She will leave for Hong Kong on April 20, and is due here on May 10.

Under the auspices of the University Education Society, Mr. L. G. Morgan, M.A., B.Sc., will deliver a lecture on "Education as a Science," next Wednesday, at 8.30 p.m. in the University Union Assembly Hall. All are welcome.

A dance for Servicemen will be held in the West Lounge of the Y.M.C.A. to-morrow, commencing at 9 p.m.

His Excellency Sir William Peel will preside at the sixth and last meeting of the English Association, which will be held in the Helena May Institute at 6.30 p.m. next Tuesday. His Honour the Chief Justice, Mr. A. D. A. MacGregor, will speak on "The Function of Law in Society."

The second annual dinner of the Siamese Students' Association in China, Hong Kong, will be held to-day.

Appearing before Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday morning, Cheung Shing, 26-year-old unemployed, was sentenced to terms totalling two months' hard labour for stealing several pot plants and palm tree plants from No. 4 Granville Road.

LONDON TO PARIS DURING LUNCH

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The aerodrome is quickly out of sight—but, to the officer in the wireless cabin, not out of sound. The control tower at Croydon knows exactly where you are, and will be in constant radio communication until you land. The earth below may appear to pass slowly, but that is due to the optical illusion caused by your distance from it; your actual speed is now 100 miles an hour. Soon the Channel lies beneath you, and for 30 or 40 minutes you look down on blue water, with ship-like toys trailing long white wakes behind them. Then the French coast, and a scene quite unlike the view you had in England. Surrey, Kent and Sussex had resembled a multi-coloured quilt—the whole surface cut up into varied shapes of different hues by hedges, roads and gardens. Northern France appears a great flat plain, with immense yellow fields intersected by narrow ditches or long white ribbons of roads. There are occasional clumps of trees and a few small towns and villages; but mostly the landscape is agricultural, and altogether a contrast to the kaleidoscopic pattern of England.

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Suddenly the note of the engines falls, and the wings begin to slant. You can only tell this by looking at them; you yourself seem to be as level in your seat as ever. You look down. The earth is nearer, and there below you is Le Bourget, the Air Port of Paris. A gradual turning movement, a long smooth glide, and you find yourself skimming just above the grass. Inch by inch the wheels approach the ground; then they touch, and after a few more hundred yards the Hercules draws up beside the landing offices. It is a little over two hours since you left Croydon, and in another 45 minutes you will be in the centre of Paris.

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Hong Kong Personalities

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His career in Hong Kong has been marked by the same love for his fellow-men that distinguished him in Saigon. In 1933, when the Society for the Protection of Children was formed, he at once came forward with a donation of \$10,000, by this gift not only setting a fine example to others but in effect rendering possible the start of the Society's work. Now, knowing the Society to be in difficulties from lack of funds, he again comes forward with a new gift of \$5,000. In 1933 he contributed a sum of \$10,000 to the rebuilding fund of the Tung Wah Hospital and further \$10,000 to the Fong Bin Hospital, Canton, of which he is a committee member. Always keenly interested in promoting the welfare of the poor, he is a Director of the Tung Wah Hospital, Hon. Vice-President of the Society for the Protection of Children and Hon. Chairman of the Chung Sing Charity Club. He is also Hon. Chairman of the Chinese Civil Servants' Club and of the Chinese Athletic Association, Canton.

Mr. Wal, who is a large property-owner in the Colony, is the proprietor of the Yee Tin Tong, 182 Queen's Road Central, Patent Medicine Manufacturers, with branches in Shanghai, Canton, Salagon and Cambodia. At the opening of his office in China he made a free gift to the public of 1,000,000 bottles of the medicinal oil manufactured by his firm, valued at some \$300,000.

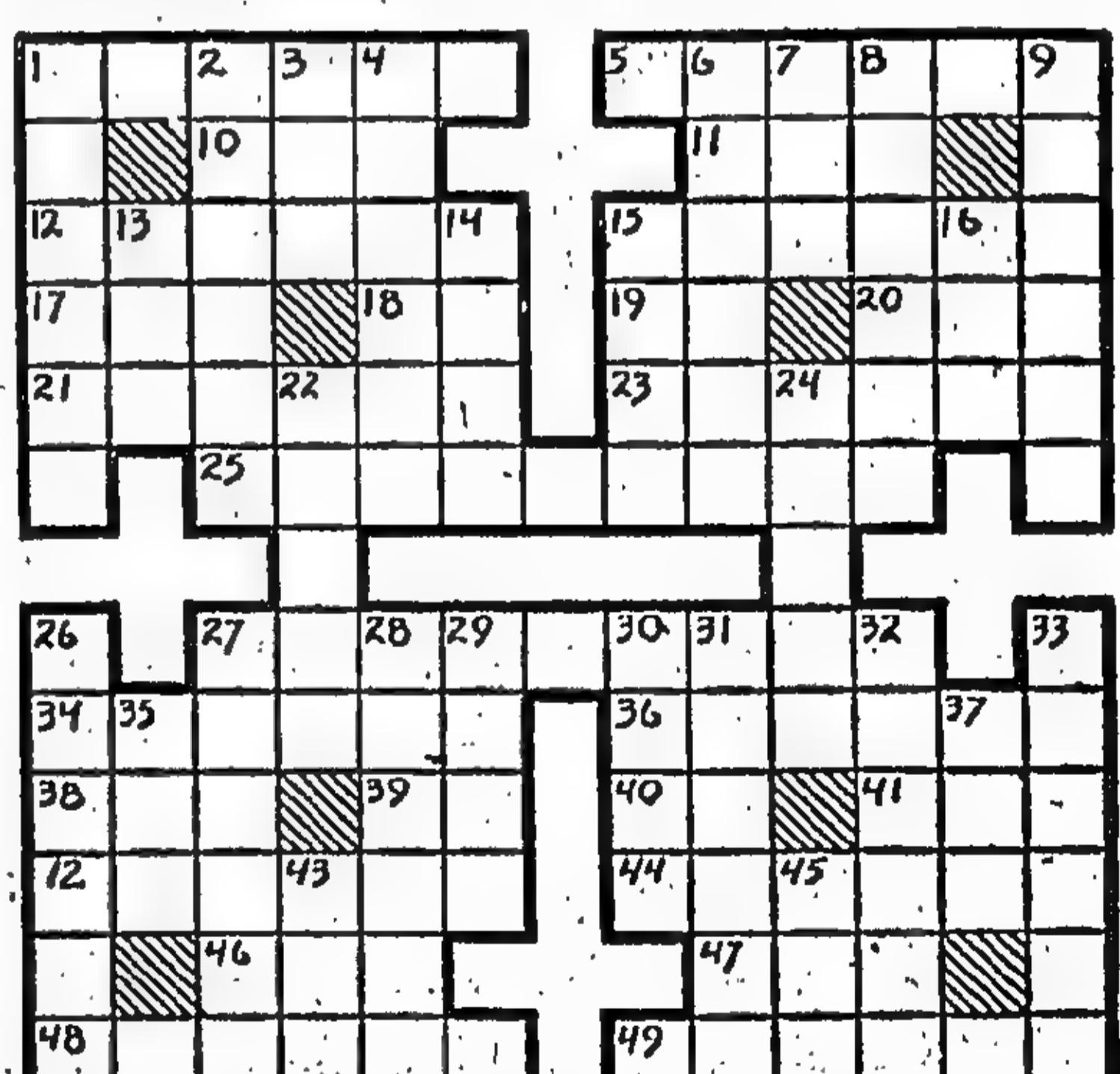
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MR. LIANG'S DAUGHTER IS PRESENTED AT COURT

London, Yesterday.—The daughter of Mr. M. T. Liang, one-time Chinese Foreign Minister, now retired, was yesterday presented at Court by Madame Quo Tai-chi, wife of the Chinese Minister, — Router.

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This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



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| HORIZONTAL (Cont.)
1-Confirmed
5-Saved
10-Edge
11-Point of compass (abbr.)
12-Reclaim
13-Areas
17-Look
18-East Indies (abbr.)
19-Elastic (abbr.)
20-Feminine name
21-Mistakes
23-Brazier
26-A tree of the laurel family
27-Moved downward
34-Mode of standing (Golf)
38-Helping
39-Territory (abbr.)
49-Half an em | HORIZONTAL (Cont.)
40-Promissory note (abbr.)
41-Prefix. Together
42-Still existing
44-The whole
45-Before
47-Even (contr.)
48-Part of the inner ear
50-Views
51-A coin
52-Back of the neck
53-A repeat
54-Cutting into cubes
55-Made of oak
56-Strained
57-Small American eel
58-A perch-like fish
59-Deprive of weapons
60-Ever (contr.)
61-Fall to hit
62-Ego
63-Evening (poet.)
64-Made of oak
65-Strained
66-A flower (pl.)
67-Official (pl.)
68-A condiment
69-Curlicue scraps of literature
70-Metric land measure
71-A beverage |
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Do not wear sun glasses, not even on the beach, your eyes will become inflamed and begin to water.

After swimming do not cleanse your face with a lotion, but let the salt and sand do the damage.

Eat puddings and pies, let your figure go, dress dawdly, show your fat ankles by wearing short skirts. Do not walk swinging free from the hips, but just along from the knee and you will look the grace of ugliness. Never have a massage done. Do not use any lotion, cream, powder, rouge or lipstic. Never do any manicure, but have broken away nails. Let your hair frame your face untidily, long and unkept. Shape your pale lips in a frown and you will have achieved the perfection of ugliness. If you don't really want to be ugly if you don't really want to be ugly.

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[From Our Own Correspondent]

Canton, Yesterday.

General Chen Chi-tang, head of the Kwantung armies, has telephoned to the military authorities in Kweichow saying that his two divisions in Kwangtung will not proceed to Kweichow owing to instructions received from General Chiang Kai-shek, Chairman of the Military Affairs Commission, ordering the expedition to halt.

"I will not move my troops until I have further instructions from Chairman Chiang," General Chen stated.

This telegram throws a new light on the reports that the Central Authorities are most anxious to have the co-operation of Kwantung troops to join in the fight against the Kweichow Reds. At the moment, the main strength of the Communists is again in Southern Szechuan.

The boxes can be obtained from Mr. A. Morris, at the address mentioned above, or from Mr. S. F. Balfour, of the Colonial Secretariat.

The Collection is to begin on April 1, between which date and May 1 the boxes should be circulated; when filled, they should be sent to the Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank, which has kindly undertaken to receive same.

A high official stated that General Chiang may take a flying trip to Canton or Hong Kong to interview the South-west leaders, but the official is unable to confirm the report.



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Trade Debts To The United Kingdom

REPAYMENT TERMS

London, Yesterday.
An agreement has been signed on behalf of the United Kingdom and the Brazilian Governments with regard to the settlement of commercial debts due to United Kingdom exporters.

The Brazilian Government agrees to set aside annually £1,200,000 out of the percentage of foreign exchange reserved for that Government's requirements, and, on the termination of the arrangement of June 1930, by which the Bank of Brazil agreed to settle the arrears outstanding at the date, a further annual amount of £353,000 if necessary.

For this purpose the Brazilian Government will create a 4 per cent. sterling stock service which will be met from the annuity. Creditors will be offered stock to the face value of the sterling amount of debts in millions, which are being converted into sterling at the official rate of exchange when the debt will be due.

£1,000,000 IN CASH.

The Brazilian Government undertakes to make every endeavour to provide within 30 days a lump sum of £1,000,000 for the payment in cash of small trading debts and such proportion of other arrears as may be agreed.

The Brazilian Government declares its intention to maintain in force the existing regulations by which goods imported after February 11, 1936 are to be paid for by the purchase of exchange in a free market, and 40 per cent. of all arrears of commercial debts in respect of the imports from September 11, 1934 to February 11, 1936 are to be liquidated by the purchase of exchange on a free market.

The Brazilian Government undertakes that this 40 per cent. shall be liquidated by the purchase of exchange on a free market without awaiting the settlement of the balance of 60 per cent.—British Wireless Service.

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LOCAL SHARES.

YESTERDAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued yesterday:

Banks.

H.K. Bank \$1295 b.

H.K. Bank (London) \$127½ n.

Chartered Bank \$14¾ n.

Mercantile Bank A. & B. \$31¼ n.

Mercantile Bank C. \$13½ n.

Bank of East Asia \$85½ n.

Am. O. Finance Corp. Sh. \$20 n.

China O. Fin. Ord. Sh. \$1.80 n.

China O. Fin. Pref. Sh. \$4½ n.

Insurances.

Canton Ins. \$220 s.

Union Ins. \$415 b.

China Underwriters \$1½ n.

China Fire Ins. \$400 n.

H.K. Fire Ins. \$210 n.

International Assoc. Sh. \$5 n.

Shipping.

Douglas \$39½ n.

H.K. Steamboats \$7½ n.

Indo-Chinas (Prof.) \$30 n.

Indo-Chinas (Def.) \$38 n.

Shells (Bearer) \$1½ n.

Union Waterboats \$12½ n.</

LOCAL SCHOOL OF ACCOUNTANCY

New Centre For Institute Of Commerce Exams.

SUCCESSFUL RESULTS

The School of Accountancy at No. 24, Des Voeux Road Central is now the Official Centre for all examinations of Commercial subjects conducted by the Institute of Commerce (Incorporated), England, according to a letter of appointment received from The Honorary Secretary of the Institute, Dr. R. P. Booth, D.Sc., M.I.Mech.E., F.I.S.A.

Contrary to assertions made by other commercial schools, the School of Accountancy declare that this Institute does not confer its degrees to successful candidates upon the conclusion of the examinations unless the examinees have had at least five years' experience in a commercial capacity and must not be under 25 and 21 years of age for Fellowship and Associateship, respectively. However, certificates and diplomas are given to such candidates who have passed the single subject and group tests. The examinations are open to all, irrespective of age, sex, and nationality.

It is interesting to recall that this school has been singularly successful in its past efforts, particularly in December 1934 examination held locally by the International Institute of Accountants (Incorporated), in which all its students took high passes including the Gold Medal award.

A picture of the candidates, the Supervisors, and the Dean of the School appears in the Pictorial Supplement of this issue.

HONG KONG NAVAL VOLUNTEER FORCE

Seniority List For Officers And Cadets

The following Officers and Cadets of the Hong Kong Naval Volunteer Force are confirmed in their ranks with seniorities as shown:

Lieutenant-Commander Harold Stuart Rouse, with seniority of 23rd December, 1933.

Lieutenant James Petrie, D.S.C., with seniority of 28th March, 1934. (Seniority as Cadet, 18th January, 1934).

Lieutenant Robert Stock, with seniority of 28th March, 1934.

Chaplain, Very Reverend Dear Alfred Swann, M.A., with seniority of 16th January, 1934.

Surgeon Lieutenant Leslie John Davis, with seniority of 16th January, 1934.

Paymaster Lieutenant Sydney Hampden Ross, with seniority of 16th January, 1934.

Sub-Lieutenants, with seniority of 29th November, 1934: Gerard Horace Gandy, John Charles Michael Graham, Lawrence Joseph Francis Griffiths, Andrew John Manning Hazlwood, Edwin John Spiers, and Richard John Vernal. (Seniority as Cadets, 18th January, 1934).

Sub-Lieutenants, with seniority of 17th December, 1934: Robert Patrick Edwards, Leslie James Stevenson, and Denis George McAvoy. (Seniority as Cadet, 18th January, 1934).

Engineer Sub-Lieutenant John Richard Bergae-Coupland, with seniority of 25th June, 1934. (Seniority as Cadet, 18th January, 1934).

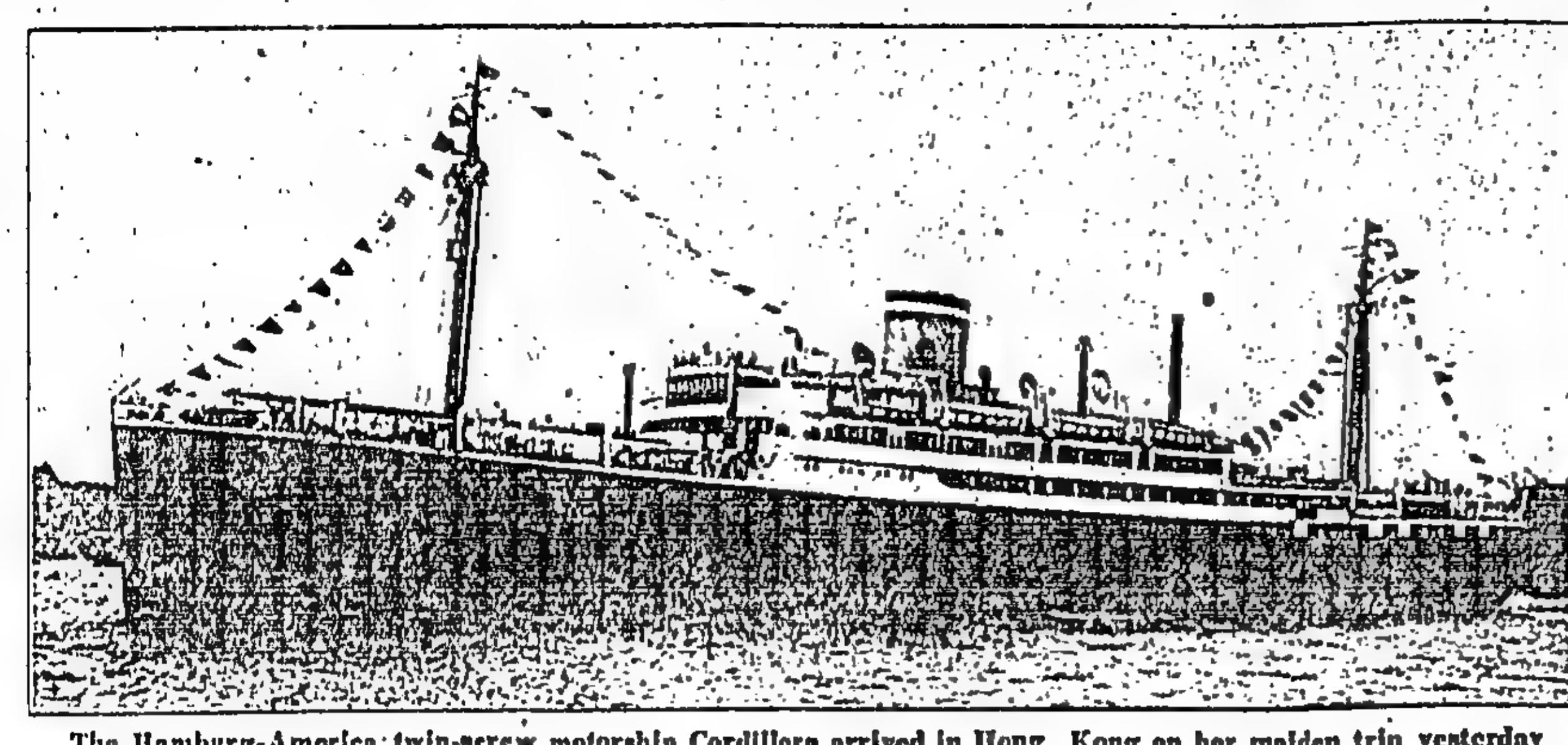
Paymaster Sub-Lieutenant Edward Grossman, with seniority of 28th March, 1934. (Seniority as Cadet, 18th January, 1934).

Cadets, with seniority of 18th January, 1934: Donald Black, Hugh William Macpherson Dulley, and John Edward Llewelyn Parry-Wingfield.

DUTCH BUDGET CUTS

Florin To Be Defended

The Hague, Yesterday.
It is authoritatively emphasised that the Dutch Government does not intend to change its policy as a result of the fall of the Belgian franc, but there will be further drastic cuts in the Budget in order to defend the florin. — Reuter.



The Hamburg-American twin-screw motorship 'Cordillera' arrived in Hong Kong on her maiden trip yesterday morning.

Hong Kong's Two Links With The Empire

Imperial Airways And The Trade Fair

THE Singapore papers just received give the story of Air developments projected as a result of the recent visit of Air Ministry and R.A.F. officials to Hong Kong.

More and more it becomes apparent that events are forcing Hong Kong into the fore-front of Pacific affairs.

One hopes, and would like to believe, that all who have at heart the progressive improvement of business and cultural relations between the British and Chinese people, whether they live here or at Home, will see that Hong Kong is ready to play its part in the onward and irresistible march of events.

One result must be to draw Hong Kong and Singapore closer together. At present their only bond is that of Interport sporting encounters, but a little thought will show they share mutual interests on quite a considerable scale, and they are as lend themselves to considerable expansion, greatly to the advantage of British trade with the Chinese.

Just as the magnificent Sydney Harbour Bridge exalted in the minds of a few before pen was put to paper to bring it into concrete form, so the moment in which Anglo-Chinese interests can best be worked out for the mutual benefit of both, and of the rest of the world, must be thought out long in advance.

One of the first needs is a widening of mental horizons to envisage what is meant when relation with the Chinese is discussed.

Too long has China been discussed as if it centered round Shanghai, with Hong Kong occupying the position of a poor relation. A nice quiet place to retire to when overwrought by the hectic life of the great metropolis?

Varying Exchange

Another point that must arise when it becomes more widely recognised that Hong Kong and Singapore are "but" the Northern and Southern entry ports of one territory, is the question of the varying exchange between the two places. And on this subject we cannot do better than quote Mr. W. F. Spalding, who contributes regularly such enlightening articles to the *Times* Trade and Engineering Supplement.

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Thus we see, from only using these two examples, what great changes are likely to take place within the time that the majority of people now in Hong Kong are still in active service.

STRIKES AGAIN LOOM LARGELY ON U.S. HORIZON

RICHBERG WARNING HEDED

ADMINISTRATION BILL IS SECRETLY DRAFTED TO EXTEND N. R. A. LIFE

Washington, Yesterday. A secretly drafted Administration bill for the extension of the National Recovery Administration, with some modifications, was hastily introduced in the Senate yesterday after a warning by Mr. Donald Richberg, the N. R. A. chief, that strikes were threatening in the steel, coal, automobile and textile industries.

The draft provided for a partial restoration of the anti-trust laws and for code administration by an inter-state commerce commission.

Mr. Green, president of the Federation of Labour, had previously strongly advocated the extension of the N. R. A. and also demanded a 30-hour week.—Reuter.

Unless cause is shown to the contrary within three months from March 28, the name of the Union Leather Articles Company Ltd., will be struck off the Register of Companies.

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Gradual Changes

Such changes do not take place suddenly. They start imperceptibly, gathering momentum and becoming noticeable to a large and still larger circle of people—until they happen.

Many such changes are taking place before one's eyes, and Hong Kong willingly, or unwillingly, must recognise them.

The coming of Imperial Airways is one such change. The holding of the British Empire and China Trade Fair is another. Linked together, in the common purpose of opening up and improving business relations and trading opportunities between the British and Chinese, both enterprises are contributing towards the awakening of Hong Kong to a better realisation of her destiny as the British outpost on the Pacific.

Government Appointments

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve the promotion of Second Lieutenant Francisco Paulo Soeiro to the rank of Lieutenant in the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps, with effect from March 1, 1935.

The appointment of Mr. Robert Andrew Dermod Forrest to be Deputy Clerk of Councils, with effect from March 25, 1935, is gazetted.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Dr. Leslie John Davis M.B., CH.B., M.R.C.P. Professor of Pathology to the University of Hong Kong, to be Pathologist to the Government Civil Hospital, with effect from April 1, 1935.

The University of Hong Kong have appointed Professor William Innes Gorard, O.B.E., M.D., to be a member of the Nursing Board for a period of three years, with effect from March 13, 1935, vice Professor Kenneth Hutchinson Digby, resigned.

What are likely to be the principal gazetted.



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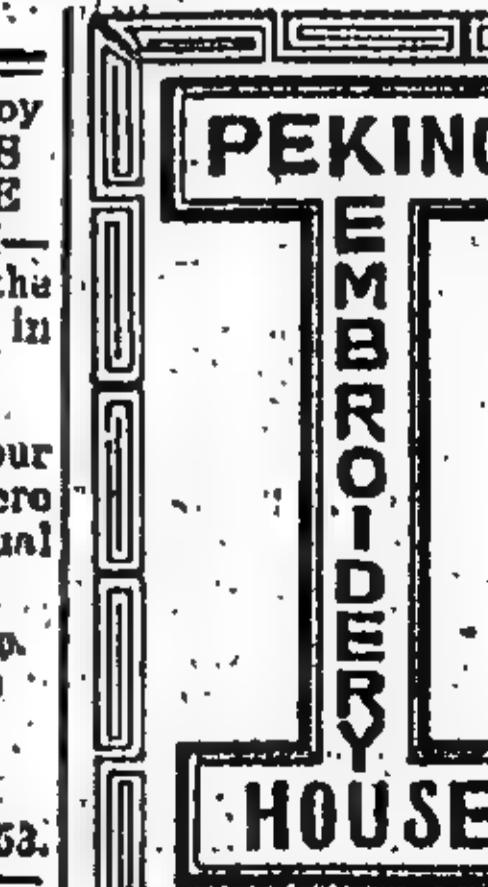
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Captain Conrad D'Ottilie, Master of the new twin-screw motorship "Cordillera" of the Hamburg-American Line, which sailed for Shanghai this morning.

PRINCE HENRY WELCOMED HOME BY CITY OF LONDON

Tells Of Enthusiastic Demonstrations

PREMIER STRESSES RESULTS OF PERSONAL TOUCH

London, Yesterday.
H. R. H. the Duke of Gloucester was royally welcomed home yesterday by the City of London after his seven months' Empire tour.

Large crowds greeted the Duke as he drove in an open carriage with an escort of Life Guards. At Guildhall a luncheon was given in his honour, among the distinguished guests being the Archbishop of Canterbury, the Prime Minister, and members of the Cabinet.

The City's address of welcome referred to the service done by the tour in strengthening the ties which bind together the peoples of the Empire in their loyalty and devotion to the throne and to the person of His Majesty the King.

In his reply the Duke said that in every part of the Empire he visited he was received with the same enthusiastic demonstration of loyalty as greeted the King and Queen, his brother and the Duchess of York on similar tours.

THE ROYAL QUALITY

Proposing the Duke's toast at the luncheon, the Prime Minister said that the sincere interest His Highness took in the daily lot and interests of all he met showed the royal quality of instinctive human understanding and sympathy which generates the truest loyalty among the King's subjects. This personal touch, by its immediate effect and memories of it left behind and borne away, exerted a powerful grip on the heart of the Commonwealth and enabled it to develop as a new and noble type of the world Empire.

The Duke, in reply, said that he regarded it as a great good fortune that he had been given the opportunity of seeing so much of the Empire and its people. He urged his fellow countrymen to travel themselves and see the Empire.—British Wireless Service.

SUFFOLK TO CARRY ART TREASURES

Precious Cargo For Burlington House

London, Yesterday.
H.M. Cruiser Suffolk, when leaving for Portsmouth in the middle of June on her pay-off voyage, will transport from China the art treasures lent for the Chinese Art Exhibition in London.

The British Government has authorised this in recognition of the Chinese authorities' generosity in committing the treasures to a long voyage with its attendant dangers, for example piracy. It will also obviate the heavy insurance for which the organisers would be liable if the treasures were entrusted to an unarmed cargo boat.—Reuter.

CHINESE MINISTER TO TURKEY

Due To Leave Shanghai On April 10

Nanking.
General Ho Yen-tau, Minister-designate to Turkey, states that he has decided to leave for his post on April 10, which he will sail by the Italian mail liner *Conte Rosso* from Shanghai—Chekiang Agency.

CORDILLERA SKIPPER ON COLONY CHANGES FAMOUS OPERA STAR PASSES THROUGH HONG KONG

THE twin-screw motorship *Bolshevik Revolution* in Russia. Of Cordillera, of the Hamburg-Russian nationality, Madame Kusnezoff studied music in Petersburg, and at an early age made several appearances in the operas in that city. At the outbreak of the Revolution, she fled with her parents to Paris, where she married a French engineer, Alfred Massonet.

From Shanghai she will sail for Kobe and Yokohama, and return here on April 18, en route to Naples.

Over 36 passengers disembarked here yesterday morning, leaving 167 bound for Shanghai and Japan.

The *Cordillera* is under the command of Captain Conrad D'Ottilie, who was appointed when the ship was completed two years ago.

LAST VISIT 22 YEARS AGO
"My last visit here was 22 years ago, when I was Chief Officer on board the *s.s. Klauchou*. Since that time I have never had the chance of visiting Hong Kong again, but I have always been working on ships of the Hamburg-American Line," Captain D'Ottilie told the *Sunday Herald* yesterday.

"I received a cablegram from my manager, Mr. Stroch, in Shanghai, asking me whether I intended giving a concert in Shanghai or Kobe, but I have not yet made up my mind," Madame Kusnezoff told the *Sunday Herald*.

Madame Kusnezoff speaks French,

Russian, and Italian, and intends to stay in the East for about three months.

17-KNOTS BOAT

The *Cordillera* is 525 feet in length, 65 feet wide, and aggregates 12,000 gross registered tons, (displacement 16,000 tons). She obtains her driving power from two eight-cylinder Diesels developing 11,000 horse-power, thus giving her a speed of about 17 knots, which enables her to make the distance between Hong Kong and Naples within 24 days.

The ship was specially built in 1933 for service in tropical regions. Air and light have free access to the large public rooms and state-rooms, which are not located near hot engine trunks or utility rooms.

First class accommodation for 169 passengers consists of bright and comfortably furnished single or doubled-bed staterooms, of which a large number are fitted with private bath-rooms or douche.

BALL-ROOM

The public rooms include a spacious dining saloon with large windows and with covered verandas alongside so that passengers may, if they wish, have their meals out of doors. The smoke-room contains a bar, cosy corners, and tables for card-games. Included also in the public rooms are an exquisitely furnished lounge with dance floor; an ice-cream saloon; a children's room with an open-air playground; and tea pavilion with a marble dancing floor.

The dining room, lounge, and tea pavilion are all lined in a row, and can easily be combined into a single room suitable for social entertainments on a large scale. There is also a spacious sports deck, and a large tiled swimming pool with underwater lighting arrangements, a shower-bath room and a massaging room.

LIFT AND CINEMA

The state-rooms and public rooms of the ship are further supplemented by all those amenities which make life on board more varied than it is, such as baths, libraries, a passenger lift, moving picture shows, a band, a florist shop, general stores, and a hair-dresser's saloon.

The tourist class accommodates about 100 passengers, and the economic tourist class 110 people.

The economical tourist class fare from Hong Kong to Naples is £20, and £22 to Southampton.

Another sister ship which will be on the regular service between Hong Kong and Europe is the "Potsdam." She is due here early in September.

To the Oriental mind, these kuchi on Ancient Footsteps impart a glamour of romance denied the majority of Occidental travellers.

As far as the name is concerned, the Chinese call the entire stream simply River, Long River, or Great River, using in each case the word ching. Different stretches, however, have specific names, and the Yangtze refers to the portion running past Yang Chou not far from its mouth.

In its upper reaches the name used is Chin Cha Chiang—River of Golden Sand.

Gold is actually washed from the sand, but apart from this practical reason those who have passed through the famous San Hsia or Three Chasms at high water cannot fail to have been struck by the singular aptness of this name.

When its source is released from the grim clutch of Winter, the Great River descends, a raging, gleaming torrent of most marvellous colour.

A colour impossible to describe. It is like molten copper, or as Chinese would say "red brass."

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EMERGENCY SAILS FOR VESSELS

That vessels crossing the North Atlantic in winter should carry sail for use in emergency was a suggestion made by Lord Runciman, speaking at Newcastle.

CHARITY BALL AT HOTEL CECIL

In Aid Of Children's Hospital And Clinic

GOVERNOR PRESENT AT SUCCESSFUL FUNCTION

An enjoyable evening was spent by more than 100 couples at the Hotel Cecil last night on the occasion of the charity ball, which was held under the distinguished patronage of H.E. the Governor, Sir William Peel, K.C.M.G., K.B.E., and presided over by Sir Shou-son Chow, K.L.D., (President) in aid of the Children's Hospital and Clinic, Kowloon.

With tasteful decorations of streamers, balloons and flowers, the dining hall presented a festive scene, while the musical selections were another feature of the function.

Among those present were Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Kirk, Dr. and Mrs. Chan Tung-sang, Dr. Y. Y. Tang, Dr. Au Chau-ho, Dr. Yip Kam-wah, Miss Pearl Chow, Mr. Y. C. Kwan, Dr. D. K. Samy, Dr. T. S. Ho, Mr. George Lee, and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Chau.

The function commenced at 8 p.m., and the opening address was made by the Chairman, Mr. R. C. H. Lim, who said:

"As you all know the ball towards which you have each and individually contributed is to help the children's hospital and clinic of the Chinese Sisters of the Precious Blood in Kowloon. No other institution, Ladies and Gentlemen, deserves your support more than the one which you are supporting this evening. You, as citizens of Hong Kong, have done your bit.

The bit that each and every one of us does varies enormously. I do not mean to be in any way ungrateful to you for having come here, but I do wish to appeal to you and to the public in general, most ardently, to show your generosity towards this free hospital for poor children. I do hope and pray that the various Clubs in Hong Kong who have the means of helping this hospital, particularly the various althetic Clubs, will do so.

Work Of Hospital

"The hospital has not been in existence for more than few years and the work it is doing is being done quietly, but well and with marvellous results. Several doctors, both Chinese and foreign, are giving their services gratis, and they, together with the Sisters of the Convent, are doing their utmost to meet the need of the poor population of Kowloon in battling to put down the very high rate of infant mortality.

"At present the only available space is that part of the Convent Building which, at great inconvenience, the Chinese Sisters of the Precious Blood allotted for the purpose of the Hospital and Clinic.

"Some time last year, His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel, graciously approved a plot of land near where the Convent now is for the purpose of building a new hospital for children. It is, I learn, for this purpose that the committee of the hospital, headed by Mr. Tso Yung-kwong, is attempting to raise the sum of \$10,000 for the cost of the building. So far, I understand, nearly \$15,000 has been collected and deposited in the Mercantile Bank. That, Ladies and Gentlemen, is briefly the history and aims of the hospital.

Hon. President's Fine Work

"On behalf of the Charity Ball Committee and all those who are working for the hospital, I wish first of all to thank our Patron, His Excellency, Sir William Peel, K.C.M.G., K.B.E., and L.L.D., for his interest in the hospital, which we hope one day, with your generous support, to build into an institution worthy of the Colony of Hong Kong.

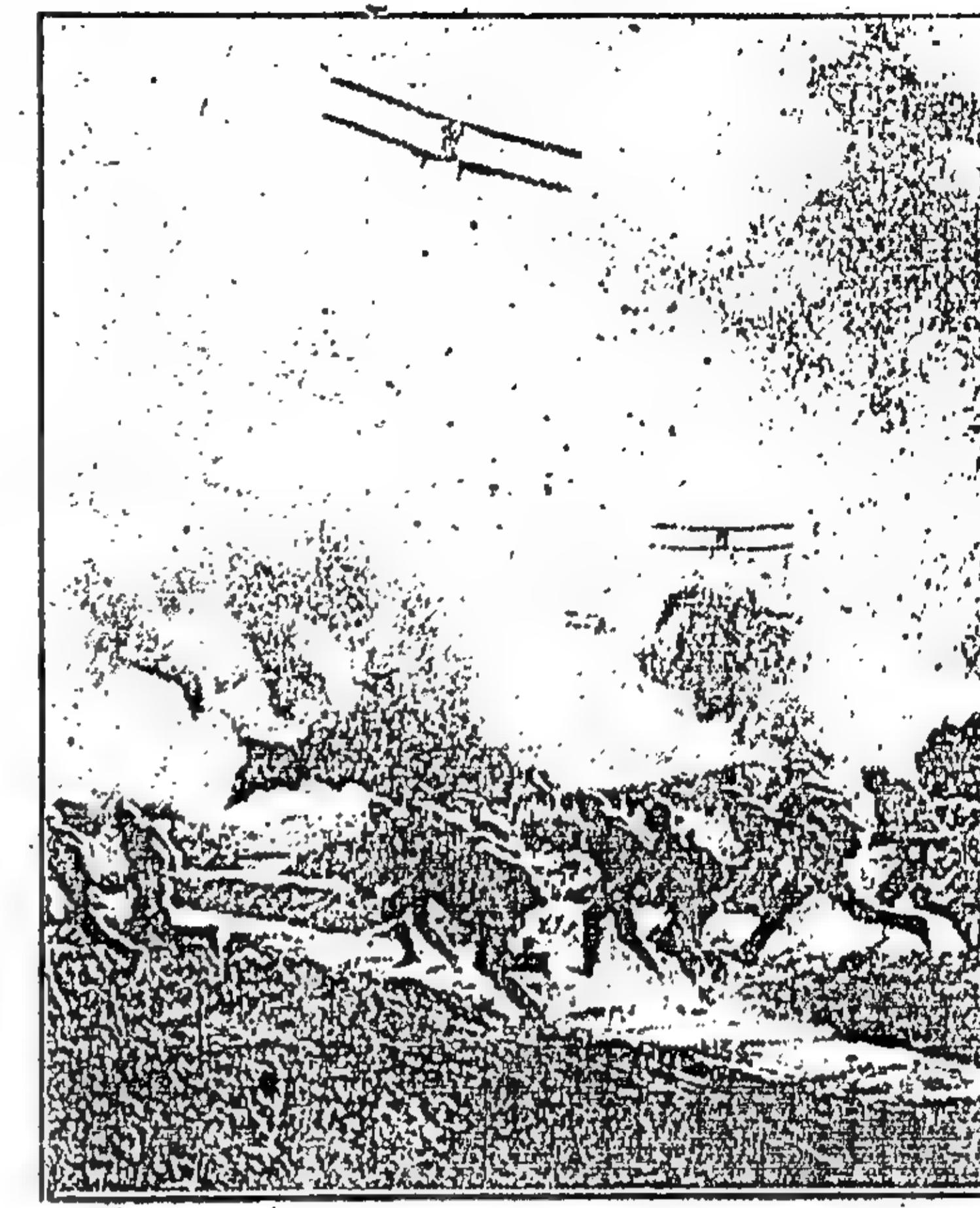
"To the Hon. Shou-son Chow, K.L.D., our Hon. President, we owe a great deal for his interest in the work we are doing. As Hon. President, Sir Shou-son Chow is always available to the committee, and, under his wise and sagacious guidance, the committee has been able to accomplish a good deal that would otherwise have been impossible to do.

"To the management of the Hotel Cecil I must say how very grateful I am for the sacrifice they are making in allowing us the use of this beautifully decorated hall for the occasion and for supplying us with such excellent food at such a low cost. I understand the profits from drinks will also be handed over to the ball committee. Therefore, Ladies and Gentlemen, since they have offered to assist this ball, you

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Your Views On Conflict May Win You Theatre Tickets



A German regiment advances across No Man's Land. Many thrilling scenes of war, hitherto unseen by the public, are revealed in the Fox Film production, "The First World War," which is coming to the King's Theatre next Friday. Edited by Lawrence Stallings, the picture presents secret films from the nation's archives—authentic, official, uncensored.

THE GREAT WAR OF 1914 TO 1918 is believed to be the war-to-end-war, but to-day Europe is again an armed camp; anxiety has been intensified in the Pacific, and a serious position towards this free hospital for poor children. I do hope and pray that the various Clubs in Hong Kong who have the means of helping this hospital, particularly the various althetic Clubs, will do so.

To-day the *Sunday Herald* is offering six pairs of dress circle tickets for the momentous Fox Film production, "The First World War," which will commence at the King's Theatre next Friday, for the six best essays, of not more than 500 words each, on War. Entries must reach this office before noon on Thursday.

"The First World War," it is said, is the first authentic and un-

can show your appreciation of their generosity in no better way than by emptying as many glasses as possible.

Donors Thanked

"Last, but not least, thanks are due to Mr. Tso Yung-kwong, our President, for his many generous acts and particularly for his donations of \$100 to defray part of the cost of the orchestra; The Dairy Farm Ice & Cold Storage Co., for ice cream; Messrs. Gande Price Ltd. for whisky; A. S. Watson & Co., Ltd. for aerated waters; Messrs. Teang Fook Co. for the loan of a piano; the Victoria Printing Press for posters, and many individuals for donations.

"The Committee, and particularly the charming and hardworking secretaries and Treasurer, the Misses Adelio Lee, Maisie Chui and Grace Au Young, deserve all my sincere thanks for their good work. To Mr. W. C. Chan, the Manager of the Hotel Cecil, the prime mover of this function, words cannot adequately express our sense of gratitude."

Afterwards Mrs. R. C. H. Lim was asked to distribute the silver cups and medals to all the lady workers who had made the function such a great success.

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SILVER JUBILEE \$1 COLLECTION

To Commence Locally To-morrow

INDIAN AND PORTUGUESE MEMBERS IN CHARGE

The Silver Jubilee \$1 Collection is to commence to-morrow. Consequent to the notice already published saying that collection boxes were ready for distribution and could be obtained from Mr. A. Morris of 6 Ning Yeung Terrace or from Mr. S. Balfour of the Colonial Secretary's Office, a number of these boxes have been sent to various firms and clubs.

It is hoped that all members of the community will be able to subscribe; members of the Indian community who have any difficulty in subscribing should communicate with Mr. J. H. Ruttonjee of No. 7, Duddell Street, Hong Kong, members of the Portuguese community with Mr. Leo, d'Almada o Castro, junior of Prince's Building. The Honourable Dr. Kotewall is being assisted by the Chinese Chamber of Commerce in sending round collection boxes, and the Chinese population should communicate with him. Furthermore the District Officers, North and South are arranging for boxes to be sent round in the New Territories and the Islands. The Secretary of the St. Vincent de Paul Society has also promised to send collection boxes among the Catholic population of the Colony.

Lady Southern, O.B.E., Mrs. Kotewall and Mrs. Braga will be glad to help the collection among the ladies of the Colony by receiving applications for collection tins or subscription lists.

The appeal runs as follows:

His Majesty King George V's Silver Jubilee

Appeal on behalf of Charities.

"On the 6th May the British Empire is giving thanks and praise that for 25 years His Majesty King George V has been preserved to bear the sceptre of sovereignty and to maintain the unity of the Empire. His Majesty's great interest in all forms of charity is universally recognised and it is known that His Majesty desires this auspicious occasion to be in some manner dedicated to assisting charitable objects. It has, therefore, been decided to collect funds throughout this Colony for charitable purposes, the subscriptions not to exceed \$1 and humbly to pray His Majesty to nominate the charities in this Colony to which the moneys collected should be devoted.

"The Charitable Collection Subcommittee is providing boxes and subscription lists for the purpose of the collection and all those who wish to assist in this laudable object are asked to communicate with the Honourable Dr. R. H. Kotewall, C.M.G., LL.D., of China Building, Hong Kong, who is representing the Chinese Sub-Committee formed for this purpose or with Mr. A. Morris of 6 Ning Yeung Terrace or Mr. S. F. Balfour of the Colonial Secretariat, Hong Kong, who will arrange for the collecting boxes or subscription lists to be forwarded.

This appeal is issued by the Silver Jubilee Committee of Hong Kong."

**NAVY BEAT
EAST LANCS IN
KEEN ENCOUNTER**

**BOWERS & CROOKS
PROMINENT**

PHILLIPS VERY RELIABLE

The Navy sprung a surprise yesterday when they defeated the East Lancs in their Second Division encounter at Soakunpoo by 4 goals to 1.

In spite of the score, the game was very evenly and keenly contested, the Navy having the better of the play through their being able to stand up better on a rain-sodden pitch.

Phillips, the Navy custodian, proved very reliable, making many good saves and effective clearances. His anticipation of high shots that were likely to shoot anywhere after bouncing on the wet ground was excellent.

In the defence Watson and Courtney were not very safe at first, but as the game progressed their earlier miskicking became less frequent and they very seldom allowed the soldier forwards to pass them in a combined movement.

Bowers Prominent

The intermediate line were well tested and found to be sound. Bowers, being a good pivot, never allowed Walkden to move for unattended and distributed the ball to his forwards with many fine passes.

In the attack the inside trio, Barstead, Partington, and Cox, were the most outstanding of a very good line.

The soldiers did not produce anything like their usual form and on a dry day the result would probably have been different.

Cox and Walkden in the forward line were very weak, the miskicking and bad judgment of Cox, who should have scored at least twice, considerably helping to bring about their downfall.

Crooks Impresses

Crooks in the intermediate line was a tower of strength, never being far from the heels of Whymann and being prominent in both defence work and attack.

Harmsworth, in goal, had a most trying time, the goals registered against him would have beaten any custodian, and the handicap of being often stuck in the mud, caused him to fall in many of his efforts.

The soldiers opened the attack and within a few minutes came very near to scoring when Mather sent across a fast shot from the right wing—with Phillips well out of goal; the ball passing across the goalmouth and going over the line.

For some 15 minutes the play was very even the ball being continually swaying from end to end, both keepers being called upon to make a number of dangerous saves.

Partington Opens Scoring

Following a period of pressure on the Lancs goal, Partington opened the score, when, racing just inside the penalty area, he sent in a fast shot to the roof of the net, Radcliffe miskicking badly in attempting to clear.

Just before the interval Ridings spurned, following a run down on the left wing by Griffin who sent across a fine centre.

After the resumption the Navy became aggressive and had the Lancs penned in with the exception of occasional breakaways which culminated in bad finishing and erratic shooting.

Barstead Heads In

From a centre by Whymann, Barstead sent in a fine header just in front of the goalmouth which had Harmsworth well beaten to give the Navy the lead once again.

The Lancs rallied for a time, but failed to penetrate to within scoring distance, and within five minutes Crawford scored twice for the Navy as the result of fine passing from the left wing.

Navy—Phillips; Watson, Courtney; White, Bowers, Wright; Whymann, Barstead, Partington, Crawford, and Wilcox.

E. Lancs—Harmsworth; Harwood, Radcliffe; Howley, Eckersley, Crooks; Mather, Cox, Walkden, Ridings, and Griffin.

**TWO PLAYERS GIVEN
MARCHING ORDERS**

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Wai-lau just succeeded in diverting his drive around the upright, neither goalkeeper was seriously tested.

Good Solo Effort

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Fisher, on the right wing worked well and often had his opponent guessing with neat tactics before finally sending across good centres.

The Chinese were not slow in attacking and Blinie and Hynes received a gruelling test under awkward conditions, but they successfully averted several dangerous shots.

Duncan Converts Penalty

The first goal came from a penalty awarded the Club for alleged foulling by Cheung Yin-chuen in the area. Duncan took the kick and netted. There was no further score before the interval.

The Club scored their second goal after Li Ho-chuen, who was defending South China's goal, had rushed out to clear. He did manage to kick the ball into play, but before he could recover his proper position between the posts Duncan had rushed in and netted with a fast shot.

The Navy are fielding a very strong team for their clash with the Fusiliers on the Causeway Bay ground.

The Fusiliers are one of the most promising teams that have been seen this season, and are expected to put up very stern fight.

If they retain their recent form they may even go to the extent of snatching both points.

In addition, four Third Division games will also feature to-day's programme.

Next Wednesday the Saints meet the Police at Kowloon and a keen struggle is anticipated.

The following is to-day's programme, giving the favoured teams in capital letters:

FIRST DIVISION

Fusiliers v NAVY (Causeway Bay, 4.30 p.m.)

Lincoln v S. CHINA "A" (Soakunpoo, 4.30 p.m.)

THIRD DIVISION

Lincoln v FUSILIERS (Soakunpoo, 3 p.m.)

E. LANCS v R.A.O.C. (Navy, 3 p.m.)

ENGINEERS

v Air Force (Chatham Rd., 4.30 p.m.)

Police v REGREIO (Kowloon, 3 p.m.)

The Club replied with two very quick goals through Farrow, from 25 yards, and Duncan. The Club's fifth goal was scored from a free kick taken by Hopkins.

Just afterwards South China scored their second goal when Lal Pat-Chol sent the ball home from close range. The Club's sixth goal was from another penalty kick, Duncan after netting. Just before the final whistle the Club added their seventh goal through Fisher their right winger.

Club—Sterling; Hynes, Dinnie; Nichols, Furrow, Biltzern; Fisher, Hopkins, Duncan, Williams and Sloane.

South China—Li Ho-chuen; Tung Chung-pak, Cheung Yin-chuen; Wan Chok-lok, Ho Chi-ting, Yau Wa-hing; Kok Yau-lok, Lal Pat-chol, Chow Kwan-tong, Li Wing-on and Mok Yin-seng.

Three Quick Goals

Broughton centred beautifully for Toyne to open the scoring with a "sitter" and in the next moment Toyne sent in a fine shot which Lim caught, but could not hold, the ball falling to his feet for Rush to bundle over the line. Lim dropped another from Dobbs, but Toyne shot wide. In the twentieth minute of play Dobbs scored a beautiful goal, a hard shot from 40 yards going like a rocket.

Toyne had further bad luck when he missed his footing and shot wide after taking the ball into the goalmouth from the wing. Just before half-time Too made a fine effort which Taylor just reached to punch over the top for a corner.

From the resumption after the interval the undergraduates took the upper hand for some 10 minutes but were unfortunate. Blake made a few good attempts, but Martin and Shaw, in spite of the quagmire around their charge, cleared excellently.

Penalty Missed

Dobbs missed an opportunity of increasing the soldiers' lead when after 20 minutes play he missed a penalty awarded to Toyne for a foul charge against Ang. From the clearance Blake received and sent a long pass to Too who returned the pass into the centre for Blake to beat Taylor with a well-placed shot to the roof of the net.

In the next moment Blake reduced the lead further with a splendid goal.

Receiving the ball near the half-way line, he kicked off the centre and then raced after it, beating the defence and Taylor,

who came to meet him, to score an empty goal.

Lincoln—Taylor; Martin, Shaw, Chapman, Wildy, Ibbit, Clayton, Rus, Dobbs, McGuinness and Toyne.

University—Lim, Law, Ang, Gole, Lee, Gorachenko, Too, Yong, Goon, Tan and Blake.

**DEUTSCHER KLUB BEAT
RESOLUTE'S FOOTBALL TEAM**

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Sindler and Brunge were the between them caused all the pick of the Resolute's attack and anxiety, Roselins, the leader, being much too slow.

Soltau's Good Defence

The Deutscher Klub attacked in the first minute, but thereafter the Resolute enjoyed most of the play, Luehring, the local custodian, and Soltau, at left-back, being conspicuous for their stout-hearted defence.

Hesse eventually broke through the Resolute's defence from a long forward pass and sent Pracht away to beat Vesely with a ground shot.

The Resolute equalised five minutes after the commencement of the second half, when Nunke took possession from a centre by Habermann to beat Luehring with a left-footed drive.

The closing minutes of the game were very exciting, the Resolute throwing away a penalty by deliberately kicking behind—their idea was to win the game on their own play—but Pracht, the local inside-left, snapped up a neat pass by Hesse to place the issue beyond doubt.

Deutscher Klub—Luehring; Nogal, Izyk and Seeborn; Eggo, Lechner and Soltau; Mueller, Hause, Roselins, Pracht and H. G. Langlo Jar.

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THE PHILOSOPHERS OF CHINA CONFUCIUS, MENCIUS AND LAO TSE

Religions That Have No Theology

(By Phyllis Juby)

WESTERN students are somewhat disconcerted when they come to study the Chinese philosophy and lines of thought; a philosophy which never developed logic and considered it irrational to think of dissociating matter and form, a religion without theology, and a science proceeding by intuition. It is remarkable, however, that although their ways of expressing themselves are so different, most of the discoveries of Western philosophy are the very axioms of Chinese philosophy of thousands of years ago. Evolution, identity of cause and effect, indestructibility of matter and spirit, polarity of the forces of nature are starting points of the most prominent systems of Chinese philosophy.

Philosophic Religion

No system or dogma of theology developed in the early religion of China, thus leaving philosophy an absolute liberty of development. Philosophy, in return, never put itself in antagonism with the religious instincts of the people. Indeed, the roots of both Chinese religion and philosophy were closely intertwined in the first origin of Chinese philosophy, and they have never been separated. The three systems, Confucianism, with its Bible of ethico-political writings of the sceptic philosophers Confucius and Mencius, Taoism, with the ancient book of metaphysical mysticism of Lao Tse, and Buddhism, with the writings of the Mahayana school, are as much distinct systems of philosophy as they are distinct religions.

The history of Chinese philosophy would thus be quite unintelligible separated from the religions. There is very little known definitely about the foundation of Chinese philosophy, the primitive

religion of China. The Chinese classics lead one to believe that it was a system of Shamanism and nature worship generally. The ancestors of the Chinese were early under the influence of a feeling for the mysterious powers of nature, and expressed their sense of the infinite. They made sacrifices to the powers of nature, especially the sun and moon. The written character for "brilliant," "abundant" and "affluent" is defined as meaning beautiful words from the sun, ideographic of beauty and the mouth which is speaking the words; clearly a reference to sun-worship. The spirits of the winds, mountains, forests; the dragon spirits of the clouds; spirits of ancestors were worshipped by incantations, music and dances.

The idea of the "Azure Heaven" is used interchangeably; now the embodiment of the unity and pre-established harmony in nature, and now as the visible material heaven, indicating, perhaps, a conflict between the Shamanistic idea of a plurality of powers in nature, and some Theistic intuition. But the main idea of Chinese thought through all the centuries has been that nature, though in the dual form of heaven and earth, is an organic harmonious whole, and inseparably interwoven with the life of man, who is regarded as the centre of the universe.

Early Philosophy

The law of nature is the simple and universal pattern for all human relations, the intimate connection between the physical and moral world. From that theme successive philosophies developed.

Creation out of nothing is an idea foreign to the Chinese mind. Nature's spontaneous self-development was in accordance with a

common plan actually centring in man. This early philosophy gave rise to a two-fold literature; one of fanciful expositions and applications of diagrams, another a prosaic literature which Confucius ultimately analysed, condensed and edited.

But some centuries before Confucius lived an original thinker, Lao-Tao. He believed in life as a mere episode in the harmony of eternity; in a realm of higher truth born of nature itself. His cosmic conception was surrounded with a halo of mysticism; man conforming to earth, earth to heaven, and heaven to the eternal principle. But it was a theory opposed to superstition, and it was an irony that his almost cynically naturalistic philosophy should become the foundation for a cult of superstition. But it was this cult, of course, that made Taoism popular. The character for "talent," "virtue" and "learning" became consequently a picture-graph of a Taoist wizard dwelling in a mountain.

Need Of The Time

During the Chou dynasty (1122-249 B.C.), cold-blooded crime, intense cunning and cruelty were rife in an unhappy China; and the school of Confucius was but one of the many well-known schools founded during these centuries to formulate some kind of plan for alleviating the suffering of the people by creating some conditions of human society that would render life more bearable. A universal search after truth sprang from the need of the time. These conditions gave Chinese philosophy its specific stamp.

No time was found now to study the objective side of cosmogony; all forces were concentrated on solving the practical problem of an ideal state of human society.

Confucius based his teaching on the theory that human society is dependent upon the natural sympathy of one man toward another. This sympathy begins within each man's immediate circle and from there flows out further with increasing intensity. Thus the aim was wholly ethical; the goal was the highest good.

The theory of the correct definition of names was the path to this good. Confucius declares that

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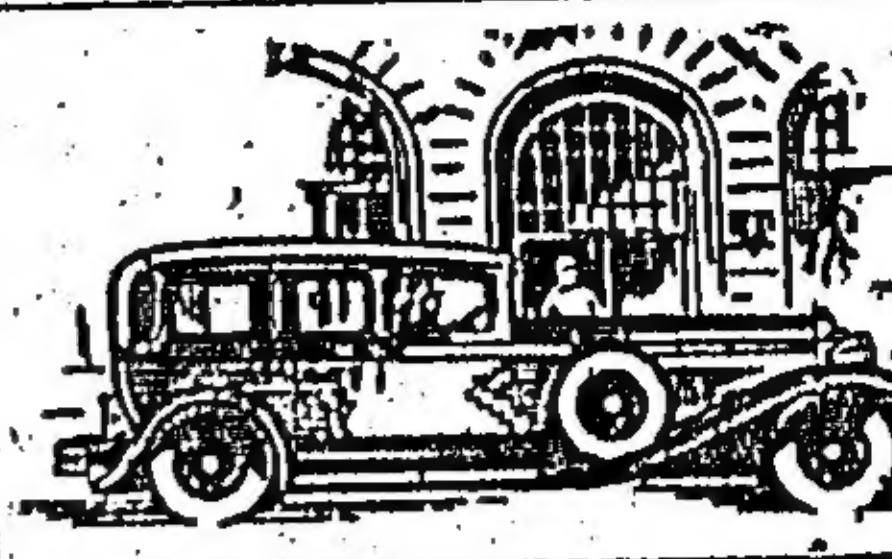
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MOTORING NOTES

AMERICA'S DEBT TO EUROPE

New Cars Feature Many British Ideas

It is commonly said that in most forms of mechanical progress the United States leads the way. As regards automobiles, it is conceded that the petrol engine was invented and developed in France and Germany, but since then, it is asserted, the land of Duryea, Ford and Chrysler has shown how they should be made and improved.

In view of these claims it is interesting to read the specifications and descriptions of the newest American cars staged at the recent New York show. The general impression they leave is that American engineers are just beginning to discover the value of ideas which Britain tried and adopted years ago.

Forward Engine Mounting

The big idea of the 1933 American, the feature most widely claimed, is forward engine mounting with its attendant benefits of better weight-distribution and bringing all seats within the wheelbase. This was introduced by Lord Nuffield on the Wolseley two years ago.

The most widely-advertised mechanical novelty gives pre-selective gear-changing in exactly the same fashion as on Armstrong-Siddeleys, though by different means.

The most striking feature of the new bodies, apart from streamlining (which is certainly not American in origin) is the universal appearance of the built-in luggage boot. Where or when that started over here I do not know, but I call to mind the Riley Nine of 1927, which also pioneered constant-mesh, silent gears, another boast of recent Americans.

This process represents a considerable advance on the former method of fixing the trimming by means of tacks. It is not only more rapid, but offers longer service to the motorist, since there is little likelihood of the trimming becoming detached from the board.

SEWING THROUGH PLYWOOD

New Machine At Morris Factory

The Morris factory, which is always on the look-out for new appliances which will improve still further the quality of its motor-cars, is now employing a very advanced type of sewing machine in its body-trimming department.

This machine actually sews through plywood, stitching down leather and rexine at a speed comparable to that of the usual type of domestic machine. The rate of operation is 700 stitches a minute, the needles being specially designed for this week.

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REDUCES BLOW-OUT RISK

"Tyre Guard" Invented

The "tyre guard," a wheel attachment designed to prevent accident in case of blow-out, has been developed by the American Tyre Guard Company of Detroit. The invention of Herbert V. Ludwick, wheel engineer formerly with the Budd Wheel Corporation, the device is an extra metal rim or wheel attached to the inner side of the regular wheel.

When a blow-out occurs or a tyre goes flat, the car rides on the inner wheel. The device, it is said, minimizes the shock and keeps the car from swerving, besides preventing damage to rims, tyres and tubes.

MORE CARS IN AMERICA

There were approximately 1,000,000 more vehicles in operation in the United States in 1934 than there were in the previous year.



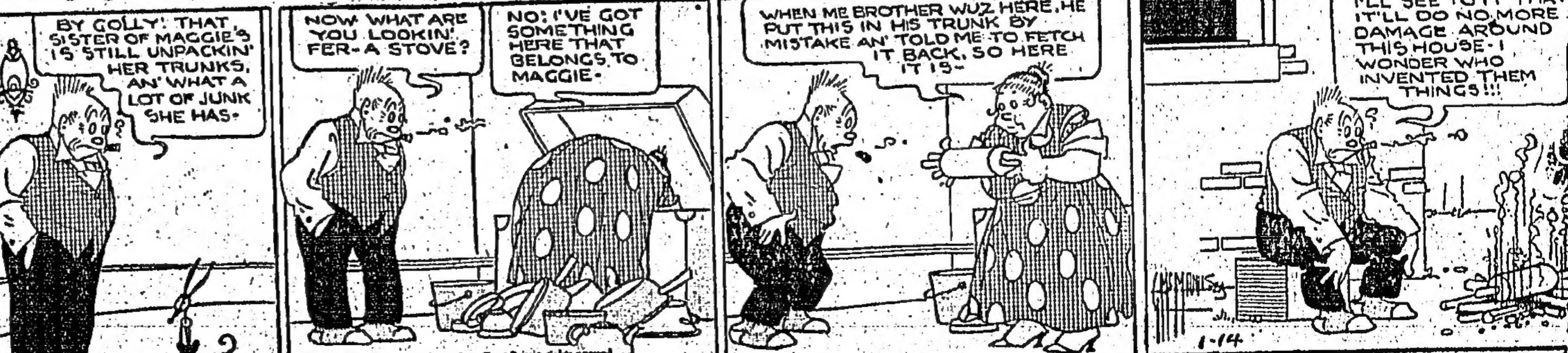
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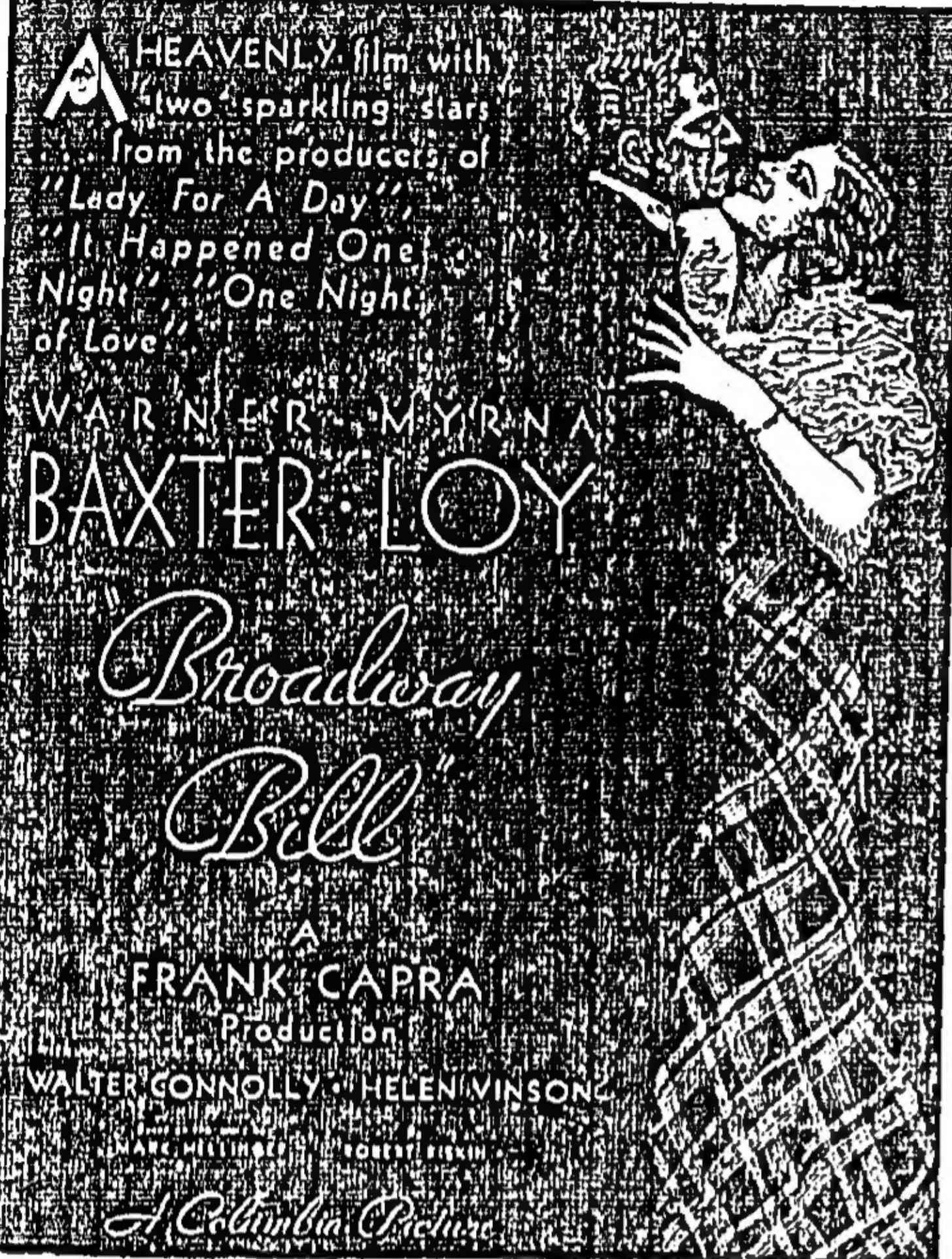
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SAPPING THE DEFENCE

(By Lt-Col. H. M. Beasley)

BOTH success and failure in Contract are measured by the winning of the tricks. Luck will, in many instances, play an important role, but sound bidding and good play of the cards will in the long run be the dominant factor.

The play of the cards is probably by far the most neglected part of the game. The working of the time factor and little intricacies in the play cannot be learnt over-night.

A very instructive hand which is illustrative of one of the finer points in play shows how important it is for the declarer to look ahead in the very early stages of the game, planning the play of the hand to anticipate the probable and possible lines of defence which can be used against him.

Among the many plays which are designed to prevent one's opponents from making full use of their hands, a great majority are the conventional entry-killing plays which remove high cards from an opponent's hand before he has an opportunity of making full use of them.

The timing of the play at Contract is such that very often an entry card in an opponent's hand does not appear to be of much importance in the early stages of the game.

Removing Entry Cards

Subsequently, however, after several rounds have been played, it transpires that this card is of great advantage and should have been removed.

Both in Suit and No Trump Contracts there are three good reasons for removing entry cards from an adversary's hand:

- To prevent an opponent from cashing in winning tricks which you know he holds;
- To prevent an opponent from leading through some of your high cards where there is a possibility that the position of the missing honours may be unfavourable to you;
- To prevent an opponent from obtaining the lead, and leading a suit which his partner can ruff.

It is therefore extremely important that the declarer, in planning the play of the hand, should (1) anticipate by several moves any brilliant lines of defence which may be planned against him, and

(2) foresee the fact that the success of this defence depends on the existence of an entry card in the hand of one adversary.

Finally, he must effectively cut out any chance of his opponents transferring the lead to the only hand which would render this particular line of defence possible.

Here is the illustrating hand: The final Contract is 4 Spades by South, and East has doubled.

North:—
S—6 4 2
H—4 2
D—9 6 5 2
C—A K J 7

West:—
S—9
H—K J 9 8 7 5 3
D—8 3
C—9 6 2

East:—
S—A J 10
H—A Q 6
D—A Q J 10 4
C—8 3

South:—
S—K Q 8 7 5 3
H—10
D—K 7
C—Q 10 5 4

The bidding:—
South Pass North Pass East Pass
Pass Pass 1D.
1S. 2H. 2S. 4H.
4S. Pass Pass Dbl.
Pass Pass Pass

The opening lead by West is the Eight of Diamonds. This trick is won by East's Ace, and the Queen is returned. South wins with the King. How should South play this hand?

An Ominous Card

South will certainly lose one trick in Spades, one in Hearts, the contract of four Spades is fulfilled.

FROM SNOW TO SLUSH

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the advance sale window to buy two in the mezzanine for the night of January 20.

Outside it was still snowing. A white Christmas. I looked at the fashionable people coming in, and my stomach fell all hollow.

So we went to a movie. In the darkness I did something very melodramatic; I took the rose out of my button-hole and squeezed it to pieces in my hands.

After the show Grace noticed it was missing. I said that I must have lost it in the crowd. She looked at me, and then we chattered gaily about the absurdity of the picture.

The snow had turned to slush and we had to slosh our way through noisy crowds to the subway.

CHICAGO GANGSTER "FARMS" MURDER

Receives £3,200 And Pays Out £600

CALLOUS CONFESSION

A Chicago South Side gangster, Walter Murphy, has confessed to a jury that he had arranged a murder in the words: "Sure, we got him bumped off."

Murphy was giving evidence as to the death of Mr. Eli Daiches, head of an advertising agency, who was found shot at the wheel of his car. Murphy declared that he had been paid \$16,000 (£3,200) for the murder, but that he had "farmed it out" to another gangster, now dead, for \$3,000 (£600).

IF HE DIED

This evidence was given during the trial of Irving Weltzman in connection with the murder of Daiches. The State's case is that Irving's brother, Louis Weltzman, would inherit the Daiches Advertising Agency and a life insurance policy of \$300,000 (£60,000) if Daiches died.

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THE PHILOSOPHERS OF CHINA

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reality evolves out of chaos into cosmos through the very fact that accident, by means of the names of things, causes reality to acquire a fixed association. This theory was applicable mainly to concrete human relationships; and thus it comprised a well-defined system of human society. Each member of society occupies the position corresponding to his name, be he father or son, hence each has an appropriate share of duties and rights. Thus, the gradation was from the cultivation of the individual to organisation of family, to administration of state, to the pacification of the world.

Confucius The Sceptic

Confucius himself was too sceptical to admit of a metaphysical world influencing human action. He would have nothing to say on the subject of immortality, being concerned only with this life and its obligations and regarding speculation on the unknown as a waste of time; "I travel within the rule of life." It is offered as a serious criticism by Dr. Ernst Faber that "there is wanting in Confucianism a decided and serious tone in its treatment of the doctrine of sin, for with the exception of moral retribution in social life, it mentions no punishment for sin. It is generally devoid of a deeper insight into sin and evil . . . and therefore finds it impossible to explain death!" Though there are obviously defects in the Confucian ethics, Confucius being prone to many of the prejudices of his age, this criticism is born of the conviction of our own self-sufficiency, and expressed in that very worldly Christian understanding of dogmas. It is to the credit of Confucius that he taught virtue for virtue's sake and not for the hope of reward or the fear of punishment.

(To be Continued.)

PRINCE SETS NEW FASHION

Soft Shirt And Collar At Vienna Cabaret

The Prince of Wales recently set a new fashion in Vienna which is being eagerly followed.

One night, wearing a turned-down collar, and a soft shirt with his dinner jacket, he spent an enjoyable time dancing at a cabaret called "Noah's Ark."

Vienna's men of fashion were at first startled to see the Prince without the customary "boiled shirt," but before the evening was out some of them had followed his lead.

ANCIENT TOWER BURNED OUT

Clock And Bell Crash

Colchester. The tower, the only remaining portion of the original Tendring Hall, at Nayland, near Colchester, at one time the seat of the Dukes of Norfolk, was very badly damaged by fire recently. Many paintings were destroyed, and the bell and the clock in the tower crashed to the ground. The adjoining buildings were saved by the Colchester Fire Brigade.

Tendring Hall is one of the Suffolk residences of Sir Charles Rowley, and was recently occupied by Lord Davica.

MAN WHO WAS ILL FOR 25 YEARS

But Managed To Keep It Secret

It was revealed at the inquest on the father of Miss Kitty Masters, the B.B.C. crooner, at Pendleton, near Manchester, that he had kept his illness secret for 25 years.

A son stated that his father, Lawrence Masterson, 66, a foreman painter of Broughton-road, and now when he leads a small Pendleton, had known in 1910 that he was suffering from lead poisoning, but he did not want to report the matter in case he lost his work and could not keep the family.

A post-mortem examination revealed extensive lead poisoning. The verdict was death by misadventure.

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ENGLISH LEAGUE

FIRST DIVISION

		Goals								Goals							
		P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts		P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	
Aston Villa	1	Arsenal	8	Barnsley	2	Blackpool	2	Hearts	1	Rangers	1	Aldershot	1	Bristol C.	0	Accrington	1
Chelsea	4	Blackburn	2	Bolton	1	Bradford	2	Aberdeen	1	Hamilton	2	Brighton	2	Coventry	0	Chester	3
Derby	0	Portsmouth	1	Bradford C.	3	Newcastle	3	Cardiff	3	Reading	0	Carlton R.	3	Millwall	1	Mansfield	2
Everton	5	Stoke	0	Burnley	0	Brentford	0	Charlton	0	Northampton	1	Darlington	4	Northampton	0	Lincoln	0
Grimsby	4	Birmingham	3	Manter U.	3	Hull	0	Crystall P.	1	Nottingham	1	Doncast'r	3	Bournemouth	1	Rotherham	0
Huddersfield	3	Man'ter C.	0	Notts. C.	1	Norwich	0	Luton	3	Southend	0	Clapton	0	Gateshead	1	Rothesay	0
Leicester	8	Liverpool	1	Oldham	2	Fulham	1	Ayr	3	Southend	0	Watford	2	Hartlepool	0	Southport	0
Preston	2	Wed'day	1	Port Vale	0	Bury	1	Dunf.	2	St. Mirren	6	Gillingham	0	N. Brightn	3	Stockport	2
Sun'land	3	Leeds	0	Sheffield U.	1	West Ham	0	Motherw'l	3	Torquay	2	Exeter	1	Chesterfield	1	Barrow	2
Tottenham	0	W. Brom.	1	Southampton	1	Playmouth	0	Qn. O's.	0	Kilmarnock	1	Newport	1	Stockport	1	Tranmere	0
Wolves	5	Middleboro'	3	Swansea	3	Notts. F.	0									Walsall	1

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Arsenal	34	19	10	6	9	39	48	50	Brentford	35	21	8	0	76	45	50
Sunderland	33	17	10	6	7	37	45	46	Brentford	35	21	4	10	68	50	46
Manchester	3	19	13	2	12	64	51	41	Bolton	33	21	2	11	80	41	41
Wednesday	35	16	9	10	59	54	41	41	Blackpool	38	17	10	8	68	46	41
Liverpool	34	16	5	12	66	52	39	39	Newcastle	36	20	3	13	83	59	39
Everton	35	16	9	11	77	65	39	39	Notts. C.	31	10	0	10	68	43	39
Derby	34	14	8	12	64	54	36	36	Oldham	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
Stoke	35	16	9	15	61	53	36	36	Port Vale	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
West Brom.	35	16	6	14	74	73	35	35	Sheffield U.	33	13	11	11	63	56	35
Grimsby	33	14	7	12	66	54	35	35	Burnley	32	12	0	13	62	53	35
Preston	34	12	10	12	50	53	34	34	Hull	32	12	0	13	62	53	34
Chelsea	35	14	6	15	59	61	34	34	Bury	35	14	4	17	63	51	34
Aston Villa	33	12	9	12	61	69	33	33	Norwich	34	11	9	14	61	53	33
Portsmouth	34	12	8	14	58	59	33	33	Bradford	33	8	15	12	65	54	33
Huddersfield	35	12	6	14	62	52	32	33	Barnsley	33	8	14	15	65	54	32
Blackburn	36	11	10	15	50	66	32	33	Altdorf	34	11	7	17	62	55	32
Wolves	35	12	7	10	44	78	31	33	Oncen's Park	32	9	9	14	66	57	31
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Middlesbro'	34	8	12	10	39	71	28	33	Dunfermline	35	11	5	19	61	90	28
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SCOTTISH CUP

(Semi-Finals)

Hearts	1	Rangers	1	Aldershot
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